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AF Promotions Will Drop To 16,505; Rise In Lt. Colonels Only Exception

THE Air Force, with a slight boost in officer strength during fiscal '61, will promote 16,505 officers, including 41 to the rank of brigadier general and 22 to two-star rank.

Compared with the current fiscal year, there will be fewer promotions to brigadier general, major, captain and first lieutenant and more to lieutenant colonel.

Promotions to colonel will remain at the current level.

Air Force Comptroller Decorated By Chief



GENERAL Thomas D. White, Air Force CofS, presents the Distinguished Service Medal to Lt. Gen. Manuel J. Asensio, Comptroller of the Air Force. General Asensio retires 31 January after more than 32 years service. He will be succeeded by Lt. Gen. William D. Eckert, who has been Vice Commander of TAC at Langley AFB, Va.

Pentagon Seeks AEDO Transfer Authority; 525 Navy Officers Will Be Shifted By 30 June

(Sleeve Insignia Change, P. 6)
THE Pentagon has asked Congress to authorize transfer of all Navy AEDO officers, except aerologists, to the Unrestricted Line.

The move provides for transfer of 525 aeronautical engineering duty officers by 30 June.

Deputy Secretary of Defense James H. Douglas said the legislation will bring little change in career patterns for senior AEDO officers, but will result in "a greater degree of variation from the pres-

The promotion plan, outlined in a report to the House and Senate Armed Services Committees show that Air Force officer strength will climb from an estimated 124,590 at the end of June this year to 124,810 by June 30, 1961.

In addition to the 63 general officer promotions, the Air Force disclosed that present plans call for the promotion of 400 to colonel, 960 to lieutenant colonel, 3,000 to major, 5971 to captain and 6111 to first lieutenant.

The number of general officers to be promoted to three-star and four-star billets is "undetermined."

Last year, the Air Force predicted that it would promote 17,985 officers to the

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General Shoup Tells BLT Reactivation Plans; Hawk Missile Battalion Is Planned

GENERAL David M. Shoup, Commandant of the Marine Corps, has disclosed that he plans to reactivate "at least two of six battalion landing teams" which the Marine Corps eliminated last year because of manpower cuts.

Secretary of Defense Gates previously revealed (THE JOURNAL, 23 January) that "a number" of the BLT's would be restored.

In testimony before the Senate Armed Services Committee, General Shoup said he also plans to "activate a surface-to-air missile battalion to utilize the new Hawk missile."

Increased personnel stability, he said, will cut the Marine Corps training load, decrease overhead and "produce higher quality Marines as well as a higher degree of readiness."

ent pattern" for those now in the rank of commander, and in large-scale changes for those now serving in lower ranks.

Transfer of AEDO officers to the Unrestricted Line will enable them to qualify for sea command assignments from which they currently are barred. Most AEDO's are aviators, and "many" of them, Secretary Douglas said, could "qualify for high command if not barred from it by law."

There are eight flag officers, 111 cap-

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HOT LINE

THE President and the Secretary of Defense soon must fill one of the most important billets in the Armed Forces. Lt. Gen. Oliver S. Picher, USAF, who has served with the JCS 4½ years, will complete two years as JCS Joint Staff Director on 1 April. Unless he is extended, an Army officer will be in line for the post, based on past rotation. He's likely to be a relatively junior, veteran general.

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7000 INCREASE:

Army Tells Plan For New Boosts

THE Army plans 21,813 officer promotions in the year beginning 1 July, compared with a revised forecast of 14,417 for the current fiscal year.

Last January, the Army advised Congress it would make 15,958 officer promotions in fiscal '60.

The Army has urged again that its ceiling on general officers be increased from 475 to 534.

Newly disclosed plans submitted to Congress show that the Army plans to make the following promotions in fiscal '61, with the revised fiscal '60 figures shown in parentheses: general 41 (50); colonel 504 (550); lieutenant colonel 1927 (1280); major 4179 (2104); captain 6600 (3533); first lieutenant 8562 (6900).

(For further details on Army promotion plans, turn to Page 5).

"TECHNOLOGICAL UNEMPLOYMENT" FOR PILOTS

THE JOURNAL publishes on Page 10 what is described as an "explosively controversial" communication from a faculty member at the U. S. Air Force Academy on the subject of pilot utilization. His letter coincides with the recent Air Force action (THE JOURNAL 16 January) in choosing 2107 officers for suspension from flying status.

There is no question that the letter by Lt. Col. Walter W. Long, USAF, Associate Professor of Electrical Engineering, who is a rated officer, will stimulate much discussion throughout the Services.

President's Pay Hope Is Lost

PRESIDENT Eisenhower's hope that Congress would vote military pay equalization legislation before 1 February has been lost.

As January came to a close, no hearings on the bill had been scheduled in the Senate or House.

THE JOURNAL issue of 16 January pointed out that the House Armed Services Committee has been reluctant to initiate action for fear that Senator John Stennis (D-Miss) might use the pay equalization bill as a springboard for an assault on present military retirement programs.

It is still possible, of course, that Congress will approve a retroactive date for the pay equalization measure to 1 February, but with each passing week, the chances of such action diminish. (See editorial comment, Page 10).

DIAPER-BANDAGE DISPUTE:

DoD Medical Chief Hits Interference

(Unification Opposed, Page 25)

THE Pentagon's top medical authority has charged that there is too much "proprietary" interference with military medicine, both in and out of the Services.

Assistant Secretary of Defense (Health and Medical) Frank B. Berry says that such "power" groups as the American Medical Association and American Dental Association are seeking "to extend their influence" over military medicine.

Within the Services, Dr. Berry reveals,

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Army Slates 16 Field Tests During 1960

THE Army will conduct 16 exercises to test combat readiness and responsiveness of the Strategic Army Corps and other units in 1960.

The exercises, in which highly trained troops will maneuver with modern missiles as well as conventional weapons, will be conducted by General Bruce C. Clarke's Continental Army Command in areas ranging from the ice of Alaska and

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"CAPITALISTIC" STRUCTURE:

Soviet Military Pay Is Highly Flexible; Big Ruble Rewards For Certain Duties

(Red Forces Basic Pay, P. 16)

WHEN it comes to military pay, the Soviet Union abandons the principle of equal pay for equal rank.

Its pay structure, which provides a basic pay for generals and admirals that is more than 100 times the pay of privates and seamen, gives heavy emphasis to extra rewards for particular assignments.

Last week's issue of The Journal disclosed the retirement benefits provided for Soviet military officers, which in many cases are higher, percentage-wise, than the retired pay of U. S. officers.

In thousands of cases, Soviet military officers can receive more in extra pay for

particular assignments, hazardous duty, isolated duty, and longevity, than the basic pay rate.

This flexible pay scale obviously is loaded with the possibility of "political" influence.

Figuring the take-home pay of Soviet military men is a chore that would tax the abilities of a certified public accountant.

The special pay for assignment amounts to between 100 and 150% of base pay.

Longevity pay can add between 5% to 30% to the combined base pay and assignment pay.

Hazardous and isolated duty pay can add up to another 100%.

In some cases, such as minesweeping

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U. S. ARMY ORDERS

Wilber M. Brucker—Secretary of the Army
 Hugh M. Milton, II—Under Secretary of the Army
 Dewey Short—Assistant Secretary (Manpower & Reserve Forces)
 Courtney Johnson—Assistant Secretary (Logistics)
 George H. Roderick—Assistant Secretary (Financial Management)
 Richard S. Morse—Director, Research and Development
 General Lyman Lemnitzer—Chief of Staff

GENERAL OFFICERS—

Major General
 Nutter, William H., Philippines, to XX USA
 Corps, Ft. Hayes, O.

Brig General
 Schorr, David P., Jr., EUSA, to USATC Inf, Ft
 Dix.
 Harris, William A., Ft. Bragg, to Hq USAR-
 EUR, Heidelberg, Germany.

INFANTRY—

Colonel
 Blanchard, Robert M., Ft. Sam Houston, to
 USA Elm MAAG, Taiwan, Taipei.
 Hardenbergh, Hal, Carlisle Bks, to USA Elm
 Hq AFSE, Naples, Italy.
 Cheston, Elliott B., Monterey, Calif, to OUS-
 ARMA Am Emb, Saigon, Vietnam.
 Quinn, William N., Ft. Benning, to Japan.
 Taylor, Royal R., Ft. Bragg, to USA Elm US
 EUCOM, Paris, France.
 Hutchinson, William S., Jr., Sandia Base, New
 Mex, to USA Elm Hq JTF 7 AHS, Arlington,
 Va.
 Haberman, Howard F., Ft. Ord, to USA AD-

Col. Grubbs Named Ammunition Deputy

Col. Elmer W. Grubbs has been named
 Deputy Commander of the Ordnance
 Ammunition Command, Joliet, Ill.

He succeeds Col. E. Stanton Palmer,
 assigned to the Sixth Army at the Pre-
 sidio of San Francisco.

Colonel Grubbs, USMA '36, had been
 Chief of the OAC National Field Service
 Operations Division.

Colonel and Mrs. Grubbs, the former
 Margaret Fountain of Columbus, Ga.,
 have two daughters, Susan, and Mar-
 garet Lois and a son, Judson.

Col. Glass New CofS In Berlin Command

Col. Robert G. Glass, former Deputy
 G-3 at U. S. Army Headquarters, Eu-
 rope, Heidelberg, is the new CofS to the
 US Commander, Berlin, Maj. Gen. Ralph
 M. Osborne.

Colonel Glass, USMA '35, succeeds
 Brig. Gen. Charles E. Johnson, CG of
 Berlin Command.

In Berlin with the Colonel are Mrs.
 Glass, the former Phyllis Thompson, and
 their three youngest children, Charles,
 Mike and Helen. Robert, the oldest son,
 is a West Point cadet, and Johanna, the
 oldest daughter, is a freshman at the
 University of Maryland in Munich.

GRU Korea, Yongsan,
 Reynolds, Lawrence S., Oakland, to Korea.

Lt Colonel

Burns, Oran F., Mt. Pleasant, Mich, to Korea.
 Stanford, Leslie E., Wash. DC, to Hawaii.
 Robinson, Neil, Ft. Benning, to Stu Det US-
 ACGSC, Ft. Leavenworth.

Ringsrud, Ronald H., Wash. DC, to USAR-
 CARIB (Panama).

Getty, George L., Wash. DC, to Ft. Shafter,
 Hawaii.

George, Thomas A., Monterey, Calif, to USA
 Msn to Bolivia, La Paz.

Gelwick, Robert A., Ft. Slocum, NY, to Hq
 First USA, Governors Is, NY.

Leonard, John W., Wash. DC, to USA Fld Det
 Q OACSI, Wash. w/sta London, England.

Gundlach, Robert L., Ft. Bragg, to USA Elm
 MAAG, Vietnam, Saigon.

Western, George E., Cp Zama, Japan, to dy
 sta Seoul, Korea.

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B/G Hochmuth In Marine R&D Post

Brig. Gen. Bruno A. Hochmuth has
 assumed duties as Deputy Chief of Staff
 (R&D), Marine Headquarters.

The General reported to his new post
 from MCRD, San Diego, where he had
 served since 1957 as Command Chief of
 Staff, and briefly as Commanding Gen-
 eral.

He succeeds Brig. Gen. George R. E.
 Shell who has taken command of MCRD,
 Parris Island, S. C.

RAdm. Gatacre Directs Australian Staff In D. C.

RAdm. G. G. O. Gatacre, is the new
 chief of the Australian Joint Services
 Staff in Washington, D. C.

A former Australian Naval Attache to
 the U. S. (1953-55), he comes to his new
 post from duty as Flag Officer Command-
 ing Her Majesty's Australian Fleet.

Admiral Gatacre succeeds Air Vice-
 Marshall W. L. Hely, who will return
 to Australia.

Next Week

The Army's "Missile Academy" at Hun-
 tsville, Ala., will be the subject of a special
 report to JOURNAL readers by Col. Charles
 W. Eifler, Commandant, in the 6 Feb-
 ruary issue. It is one of a series of ex-
 clusive progress reports on missile ac-
 tivities being prepared for JOURNAL pub-
 lication. The issue of 23 January features
 an article by Maj. Gen. O. J. Ritland,
 Commander of the Air Force Ballistic
 Missile Division at Inglewood, Calif.

House hearings on the Senate-passed
 "White Charger" officer personnel bill
 are set to begin 1 February, and will be
 covered in detail in next week's issue.

A cross-country survey of Air Force
 ARDC facilities begins next week for
 JOURNAL Assistant Editor Daniel Z. He-
 kin. The first of his reports, covering
 ARDC Headquarters at Andrews AFB,
 Md., and the Arnold Engineering Center
 at Tullahoma, Tenn., will appear in the
 6 February issue.

U. S. AIR FORCE ORDERS

Dudley C. Sharp—Secretary of the Air Force
 Joseph V. Charyk—Under Secretary of the Air Force
 Philip B. Taylor—Assistant Secretary (Material)
 Lyle S. Garlock—Assistant Secretary (Financial Management)
 —Assistant Secretary (Research & Development)
 General Thomas D. White—Chief of Staff

MAJOR GENERAL

Alness, Harvey T., fr Ent AFB, to Hq USAFE,
 APO 633, NY, for dy as CofS, NLT 29 Mar.
 Bowman, Wendell W., fr dy as Comdr,
 CADC, w/add dy as Comdr, Centr No
 American Air Def (Continental Air Def)
 Region, Richards-Gebaur AFB; to dy as
 Comdr, 33d ADiv (SAGE), ADC, Richards-

Gebaur AFB, & add dy as Comdr, 33d No
 Am Air Def (Continental Air Def) Region,
 eff 1 Jan.

BRIGADIER GENERAL

Low, Curtis R., fr Hamilton AFB, to Hq ADC,
 Ent AFB, for dy as ACS, Hq No American
 Air Def Comd, & ACS, Hq Continental Air
 Def Comd, NLT 15 Mar.

Lessig, Cecil P., fr dy as Comdr, 29th ADiv
 (Def), & add dy as Comdr, 29th No Am
 Air Def (Continental Air Def) Div; to dy
 as Comdr, 29th ADiv (SAGE), & add dy
 as Comdr, 29th No Am Air Def (Con-
 tinental Air Def) Reg. 1 Jan.

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SEA SERVICE ORDERS

Navy Orders will be found on
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 page 7, and Coast Guard orders on
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Soviet Military Pay Is Flexible; Big Ruble Rewards Are Provided For Certain Duties

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and diving, the hazardous duty pay is computed on an hourly basis for the number of hours actually engaged in such duty.

Sea duty for the Soviet Navy nets an additional 30% of combined rank and assignment pay, submarine duty 50% plus 5% for each dive, and P.T. boat duty 50%.

Longevity pay for the Soviet Armed Forces is 5% for two years, 10% for five years, 15% for 10 years, 20% for 15 years, 25% for 20 years and 30% for 25 years.

Over and above the standard pay scales, special pay is given for the successful accomplishment of missions and for outstanding performance of assignment over an extended period of time.

Promotion in the Soviet Armed Forces, U.S.S.R. officials told THE JOURNAL, does not necessarily mean a raise in pay. Assignment to a better-paying billet is what counts.

It is not unusual for two officers with exactly the same rank and length of service to receive vastly different pay.

Base pay, Soviet officials indicate, is no indication of take-home pay. Depending on his assignment, a Soviet military man can take home three to five or more times the basic pay of his rank.

An average Soviet colonel gets about

1,300 rubles a month in base pay. He may receive an average of 1,600 rubles more for his assignment, 1,100 for longevity pay, plus additional compensation for hazardous duty, or isolated duty.

The official exchange rate for the Soviet ruble is four to the dollar. A more realistic exchange rate however, is the tourist rate of 10 rubles to the dollar.

Base pay for Soviet conscripted soldiers—the bulk of the USSR's Armed Forces—runs from 30 rubles a month for a private to 1,800 for the equivalent of master sergeant.

Conscripted PFCs receive 40 rubles a month during their first two years of service.

In their third year of service, conscripted Soviet enlisted men receive approximately double the basic salary for their rank. If they are allowed to reenlist, they receive approximately five to nine times their base pay.

Lowest rank officers in the Russian Armed Forces are the U. S. equivalent of a junior second lieutenant. In all services they are called *Mladshiy Leytenant*.

There are no warrant officers in the Soviet Armed Forces.

Mladshiy Leytenants receive a base pay of approximately 400 rubles a month.

A Russian four-star general (General Armii or Marshal of the Air Force) receives between 2,500 and 3,000 rubles a month in base pay.

Soviet Navy officials report that there is no four star rank in existence in the Russian Navy.

Russian equivalents of U. S. five-star officers are the Army and Air Force Marshals of the Soviet Union and the Navy Admirals of the Fleet. The pay of these officers was unavailable from either U. S. or Soviet sources. (See Page 19).

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RAdm. Evans Will Head USCG Academy

(Coast Guard orders, page 25)

RAdm. Stephen H. Evans will succeed RAdm. Frank A. Leamy as superintendent of the U. S. Coast Guard Academy at New London, Conn.

Admiral Leamy anticipates retirement about March 1.

Admiral Evans, who has been Commander of the Fourteenth Coast Guard District at Honolulu since June 1957, was graduated from the Academy in 1927. He is the author of

"The United States Coast Guard, 1790-1915; A Definitive History" (U. S. Naval Institute, 1949).

In 1937 he was assigned to the Academy as instructor in the Humanities Department. At the outbreak of World War II, as Reserve Training Officer under the Superintendent of the Academy, he organized and executed the initial phase of the Coast Guard's Reserve Officer Training program.

Admiral Evans was graduated from the National War College in 1954. Assigned to duty at Coast Guard Headquarters as Assistant Chief, Office of Operations in 1954, he was reassigned in 1956 as Deputy CofS.



RAdm. Evans

Col. Menter Named FAA Legal Chief

Col. Martin Menter, USAF, has been named Chief Attorney, General Law, in the Federal Aviation Agency's Office of the General Counsel. He was a student at the Industrial College of the Armed Forces at Ft. McNair prior to his new assignment.

Before entering military service in August 1940, Colonel Menter was engaged in private law practice. He received his regular commission in July 1946 and promotion to his present rank in November 1948.

Colonel Menter was recently appointed for a two year term as a member of the Standing Committee on Aeronautical Law of the American Bar Association. In addition, he is a member of the Committee on Space Law of the International and Comparative Law Section of the Association.

Services Go To Comptroller General Separately To Obtain Advice On TDY Pay

THE Army, Navy and Air Force—apparently unable to agree on just what they wanted—each went to the Comptroller General to ask revisions in a decision which would bar temporary duty payments to personnel who had not yet been assigned a permanent duty station. Each service received a separate answer.

Comptroller General Campbell decreed last June that no TDY payments could be made until a service member had been assigned a permanent station.

The Air Force last September requested that the June decision be revised to become effective on 1 October 1959. Reason for the requested change, the Air Force said, was to prevent a hardship being worked on 1500 Air Force members who had been in TDY status, without a permanent station, during the summer.

This was followed by the Navy's request 29 September for the Comptroller to clarify the status of a man on his second consecutive TDY assignment, who still had not been assigned to a permanent station.

nent station.

On 2 October 1959, the Army requested Mr. Campbell either to completely reverse his decision of last June, or at least to honor amended orders for its TDY personnel which would entitle them to TDY payments by assigning them a permanent station.

Normally, the Pentagon's Per Diem Travel and Transportation Pay and Allowance Committee ordinarily would have coordinated the three requests and submitted a unified presentation to Mr. Campbell.

In this case, this was not done. Each

of the Services "cleared" their requests with the committee, but they insisted on separate submissions.

Then the Comptroller General did the unifying. He wrote separate decisions to each of the Services, but included in each decision a cross reference to the other two.

For the Army, Mr. Campbell conceded that amendatory orders stating a permanent station would be sufficient to allow the TDY pay for its members, but emphasized that this pay could only begin after the orders were received.

The Navy was told that whether or not

a man was on his second consecutive TDY tour he could not collect TDY pay unless he had been assigned a permanent station. Mr. Campbell conceded, however, that attendance at OCS could be considered a permanent assignment for the purpose of collecting TDY pay on subsequent TDY assignments.

Air Force personnel who had received the erroneous TDY pay before 1 October 1959 will not have to repay the money to the government, Mr. Campbell said. But he advised the Air Force that the TDY pay may not now be paid retroactively to cover periods before 1 October.

LEAVENWORTH DEPUTY

Brig. Gen. William A. Cunningham, III, is the new Assistant Commandant of the U. S. Army Command and General Staff College, Ft. Leavenworth, Kans.

He had been in Korea for a year, serving successively as the Eighth Army G-3 and Assistant Division Commander of the 1st Cavalry Division.

General Cunningham succeeds Brig. Gen. Frederick R. Zierath, who becomes Alaskan Command CofS at Elmendorf AFB, Alaska.

Satellite Shifts Are Told By Sec Def

Development work on two satellite programs will be turned over to one or more of the military departments within the next five months.

Secretary of Defense Gates told the House Space Committee 25 January that the TRANSIT navigation satellite and the NOTUS communication satellite, will be assigned "to designated military departments" before the end of the current fiscal year.

(Dr. Herbert F. York, Director of Research and Engineering, later told the Committee that both TRANSIT and NOTUS will be transferred from the Advanced Research Projects Agency by 1 July. He said TRANSIT will go to the Navy and NOTUS "may" go to the Army).

Three other satellite programs—MIDAS, SAMOS and DISCOVERER—already have been assigned to the Air Force for development of payloads. The Midas is the early warning satellite; Samos is a reconnaissance satellite; Discoverer is an engineering research satellite.

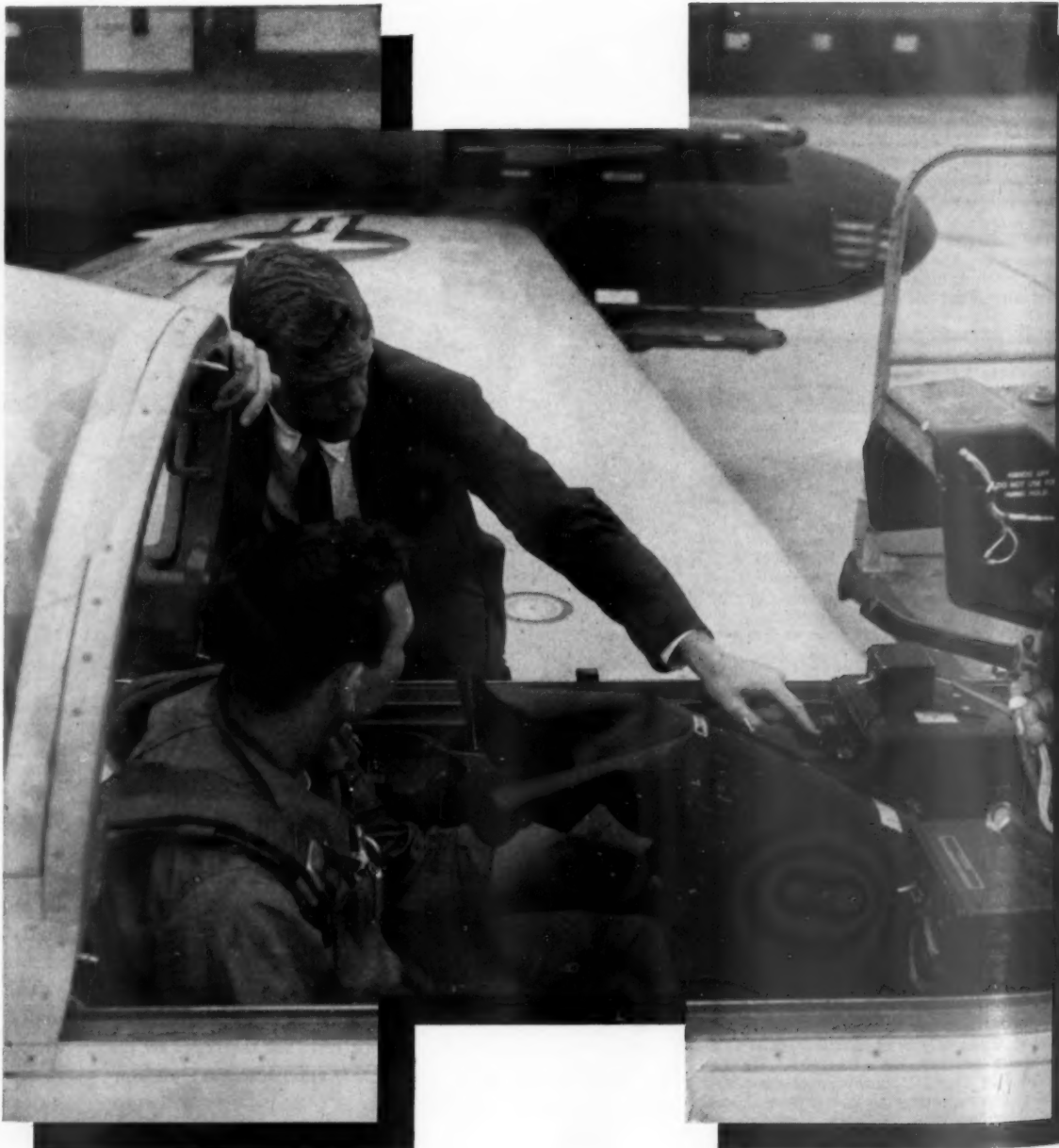
Secretary Gates said present ICBM and IRBM boosters are adequate for "immediate needs for military satellites," but he added that there is a "potential military need for much larger boosters than are now available."

Because of this, he said, the Pentagon has strongly endorsed "a vigorous NASA program."

He said earth satellites will provide the Armed Forces with "new means of extending our present military capabilities. Perhaps the most important are the reconnaissance and early warning satellites which will contribute significantly to our deterrent posture."

The total direct obligations planned for research, development, test and evaluation of missiles in fiscal '61, Secretary Gates said, "will be approximately \$2.4 billion dollars." He said this figure includes separately identified funds in the procurement budget for development, test and evaluation of large missiles, and the "total missile program including procurement is much larger."

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MORE GENERAL BILLETS ARE SOUGHT

THE Army has told Congress that position requirements during fiscal '61 for general officers will exceed by 59 the 475 authorized in the Officer Grade Limitation Act.

The 59 positions which cannot be supported with general officers must be filled with colonels, the Army said. Cited as examples were these assignments: CG, 1st Infantry Brigade; CG, 2d Missile Command; CG, 1st Missile Command (Medium) SETAF; CG, 7th Engineer Brigade; CG, 4th Region, Army Air Defense Command; and CG, 40th Artillery Brigade (Air Defense).

As shown at right, the Army had 471 general officers on 30 June 1959, plans 474 on 30 June 1960, and 475 on 30 June 1961.

A complicating problem in the general officer limitation is the increasing need for assignment of officers to joint staff and military aid advisory group assignments.

Army Reports Officer Rank Structure For Fiscal Year Starting 1 July 1960

THE Army, in reporting plans to Congress for 21,813 promotions during fiscal '61 (see Page 1), has projected a grade structure based on a strength of 89,900 officers over the programmed strength for 30 June 1960.

Analysis of the Army forecast shows that the 30 June 1960 and 30 June 1961 strengths for generals, colonels, lieutenant colonels and majors, in each case, will be exactly the number authorized in the Officer Grade Limitation Act.

The Army noted that the 300 increase in officer strength "is offset by a corresponding reduction in the number of warrant officers programmed and is necessary to meet increased requirements for commissioned officers."

The Army presented to the Senate and House Armed Services Committees a series of tables showing officer personnel

strengths and grade distribution, as well as promotion projections:

Comparison of latest actual strength and programmed grade distribution for end Fiscal Year 1960.

Grade	Actual 30 Nov 59	Programmed 30 Jun 60
Gen.	471	474
Col.	4,705	4,740
Lt. Col.	11,253	11,218
Maj.	15,532	15,538
Capt.	29,502	29,400
1st Lt.	16,860	15,700
2d Lt.	11,859	12,530
Total	90,182	89,600

Comparison of programmed grade distribution for end Fiscal Year 1961.

Grade	Programmed 30 Jun 61
Gen.	475
Col.	4,749
Lt. Col.	11,249
Maj.	15,585
Capt.	29,600
1st Lt.	14,372
2d Lt.	13,870
Total	89,900

1. Estimated active duty commissioned officer personnel grade distribution for end Fiscal Year 1961:

Grade	Number
Gen.	475
Col.	4,749
Lt. Col.	11,249
Maj.	15,585
Capt.	29,600
1st Lt.	14,372
2d Lt.	13,870
Total	89,900

2. Estimated number of commissioned officer personnel to be promoted during Fiscal Year 1961:

To Grade of	Number
Gen.	41
Col.	504
Lt. Col.	1,927
Maj.	4,179
Capt.	6,600
1st Lt.	8,562
Total	21,813

3. Estimated number of commissioned officer personnel to be promoted during Fiscal Year 1960, as furnished in January 1959 has been revised as follows:

To Grade of	Esti- mate of January 1959	Esti- mate of January 1960
Gen.	42	50
Col.	458	550
Lt. Col.	1,163	1,280
Maj.	2,098	2,104
Capt.	4,041	3,533
1st Lt.	8,156	6,900
Total	15,958	14,417

Lt. Schomburg "Outstanding"

1st Lt. August Schomburg, jr., of Ft. Devens, Mass., has been selected as the Outstanding Lieutenant of the First Army.

A graduate of the Citadel in 1958, he has qualified in Ranger and airborne training.

Lieutenant Schomburg is the son of Maj. Gen. and Mrs. August Schomburg. General Schomburg is the new CG of the Army Ordnance Missile Command at Huntsville, Ala.

in the laboratory

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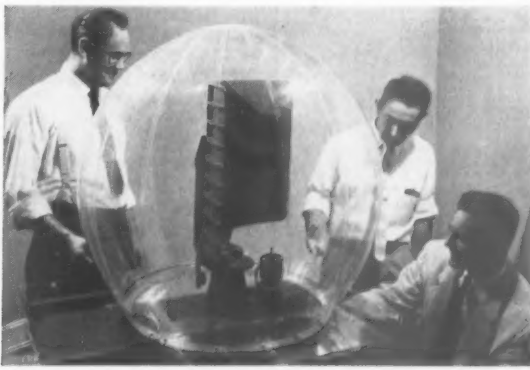
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 Richard Jackson—Assistant Secretary (Manpower, Personnel & Reserve Forces)
 Admiral Arleigh A. Burke—Chief of Naval Operations

CAPTAIN

Borden, John C. ChNavSec USAF Mission to Uruguay Montevideo; to 3ND.
 Chittenden, John L. CofS and Aide ComNav AirPac; to CofS and Aide ComCarDiv One.
 Cobb, James O. DepSec JSecretarial JCS WashDC; to CofS and Aide ComCarDiv Five.
 Collins, William M. The JStaff Ofc JCS WashDC; to CO NAS NorthIs SDiego.
 Dierman, Frederick G. CO USS Mississippi; to Staff CincPacFlt.
 Granston, Robert W (SC), BuSandA; to Sup Off NAS Pensacola.
 Higgins, Elmore F. Jr. ComDesDiv 142; to CofS and Aide ComNavForKorea.
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 Keopka, Harold W. BuWepsGenRep East Dist NY; to 3ND.
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 Laughlin, William M. Jr. OpNav; to JStaff CincUNC/ComUSFor Korea.
 Minter, James E. Jr. Comp 6ND; to Asst ChNavPers for Fin (Compt) BuPers.
 Moore, Harry G. NavWar Col Newport; to The JStaff Ofc JCS WashDC.
 Moore, Robert B. The JStaff Ofc JCS Wash DC; to CofS and Aide ComFirstFlt.
 Owen, William D. Jr. ComDesDiv 172; to BuPers.
 Paul, Paul M. JServStaffCol Latimer Buckinghamshire DuIns; to CincLantRep to FldRepEurope.
 Pratt, William V. A1USNA Rome; to Staff ComNine.

Capt. Gregor Commands Newport Naval Station

Capt. George D. Gregor has relieved Capt. Paul F. Heerbrandt, USN-Ret., as Commanding Officer of the Naval Station at Newport, R. I.

Captain Heerbrandt will accept the post of Associate Director of Administration for the state of Rhode Island.

Captain Gregor, USNA '33, had been Assistant CofS to RADM, Benjamin E. Moore, Commander Naval Base, Newport.

Captain and Mrs. Gregor, the former Christine Reichert of Erie, Pa., have two children, Midshipman R. A. Gregor, 21, and a daughter, Susan L., 15.

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Swacker, Stewart W. NEL SDiego; to Bu Ships.

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Plemons, Arnold G. OPNAV; to CHNAVSEC MAAG PORTUGAL LISBON.

Pollard, Eric W. NELM; to STAFF CINC LANTFLT.

Sargent, Keith N. OFC OF RESIDENT SUP SHIP BAY CITY; to BUSHIPS.

Brown, Alfred E. USS KEARSARGE; to NROTCU HARVARD UNIV.

Cartelli, Anthony R (CEC), JUSMAG THAILAND BANGKOK; to NYNAVSHIPYD.

Carver, William E. CO AIRDEVCON THREE; to BUPERS.

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Hamilton, George T. NAF LITCHFIELD PARK; to NAVAIRPAC.

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Navy Goes To The Field For Advice On Specialist Officer Sleeve Insignia

WHAT kind of sleeve insignia should be adopted to denote Naval officers assigned to specialist categories?

The Navy has sent this question to top-ranking, restricted Line officers serving in engineering duty, aerology, communications, hydrography, photography, public information and intelligence fields.

Deadline for suggestions to reach the Bureau of Naval Personnel is 15 February.

Unrestricted Line officers, proud of their ability to command ships at sea, have long contended that a clear delineation should be made between those qualified for shipboard command and those restricted to specialized work.

The prospective change in sleeve devices is being made as a result of recommendations made by the Franke Committee on Organization of the Navy.

Administrative creation of new sleeve insignia for Line specialist officers who are not qualified for sea command was approved last year by the Secretary of the Navy Thomas S. Gates, Jr.

There have been numerous suggestions proposed in the past to denote those in the restricted Line. The Navy consistently has rejected the suggestion that a single device be created to represent all specialist officers. The reasoning is that a single sleeve designator would be too broad in scope and would fail to recognize individual talents.

Other past suggestions have been that colored stars, or Line stars with colored patches behind them, be used to designate various categories in the restricted Line. The difficulty here is that there are only six distinctive colors available—red, orange, yellow, green, blue and violet. Shadings or

hues of the primary and secondary colors, the Navy felt, would be too similar. At the same time, the darker colors—blue and violet—would not stand out against the Navy-Blue uniform material.

The Franke Board recommendation concerning sleeve insignia reads: "Officers of the restricted Line shall wear a star and appropriate specialty on their uniforms."

A strict interpretation of this recommendation may force the Navy to provide two sleeve markers for officers serving in restricted Line categories. Many Bureau of Personnel officials feel, however, that little purpose would be served by addition of a second sleeve marker above or below the existing Line star. Their approach—many would prefer to strip the Line star from the sleeves of restricted Line officers entirely—is to design a star with a "tools-of-the-trade" passing through it. For example, the communications specialist insignia could consist of the Line star with rays of lightning.

Tools-of-the-trade type insignia would be consistent with devices currently being worn by warrant officers. A recent Navy decision calls for elimination of the warrant officer structure with the last warrant officers expected to be phased out about 1975. Their insignia could be picked up—many warrants are shifting to the LDO (limited duty officer) program—as markers for the 18 LDO classifications. One of the 18 LDO categories already wears a special sleeve marker—the lyre designating bandmasters.

The LDO sleeve marker problem will be tackled after the Navy completes action on the SDO categories.

In making recommendations to the Bureau, officers in SDO categories are required to take into consideration the fact that the device they recommend for wear on the sleeve, must be adaptable for wear on shoulder-boards.

AEDO Transfer Authority Is Sought

From first page—

tains, 185 commanders, 119 lieutenant commanders and 59 lieutenants among the Regular ranks, and 43 active duty Reserve AEDO's who would be affected by the transfer.

To protect the promotional opportunities of these officers, the proposed legislation provides that, through their first promotion after assignment:

- They would continue to be extra numbers in grade until 1 July 1965.

- Selection boards considering officers for promotion to captain or below would be furnished a number of reassigned officers to select that would give these officers, when in a promotion zone for the first time after reassignment, at least the same percentage of selection as the rest of the unrestricted Line.

- The promotional requirement of two years' sea or foreign duty in each grade would not apply to a reassigned officer while in the grade in which he is serving on the date the legislation is enacted.

Here is how the Navy said it plans the employment of the transferred officers, both immediately after reassignment and in the future:

The degree to which officers reassigned to the Unrestricted Line could expect their duty assignments to be altered depends upon their individual backgrounds and their length of service in aeronautical engineering billets.

There are two circumstances that would, in any event, limit the degree to which variations could be made from the career patterns which these officers would have followed as officers designated for AEDO duty.

In the first place, the more senior officers, by virtue of their continuous assignment over a major portion of their

careers in AEDO billets, are not generally qualified for duties markedly different from those which they have been performing.

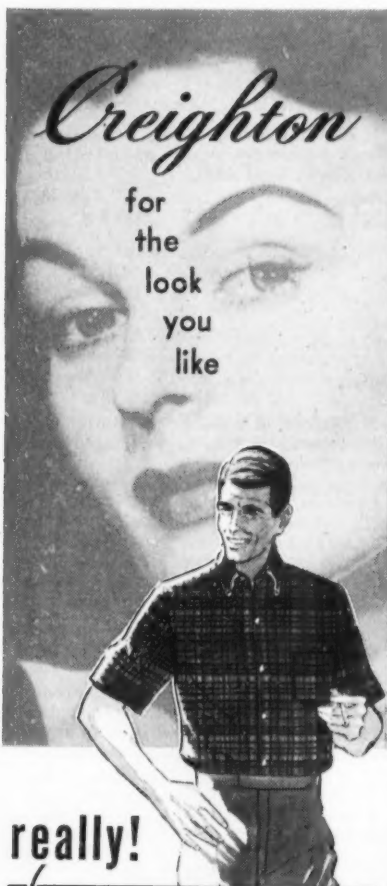
Secondly, until increased numbers of unrestricted Line officers complete postgraduate education and gain experience in aeronautical engineering, there will not be available sufficient qualified unrestricted Line officers to rotate into the billets now filled by officers designated for AEDO duty. Therefore, almost all officers now serving in the rank of captain could expect their assignments to continue in much the same pattern as they would expect under present law, with their opportunity to attain flag rank remaining substantially unchanged.

The future careers of officers now serving in the rank of commander would undoubtedly undergo a greater degree of variation from the present pattern, because of the greater amount of time available and the greater degree of flexibility that is possible in the assignment of officers in grades below captain. The present commanders would be fully protected by the proposed legislation into the grade of captain.

The single difference for this group would be the requirement for two years' sea or foreign duty in the grade of captain and it is not anticipated that this would create any difficulty. It should be emphasized that the assignment of such officers to sea duty would not necessarily await their promotion to captain but would be afforded as soon as practicable as a part of the program to give AEDO's greater familiarity with operational problems.

Officers now serving in the grades of lieutenant commander and lieutenant could expect the greatest deviation from the present career pattern for officers

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Butler, Tengan, Okinawa.
Butcher, Joseph O, MCB CamLej, to HqMC.
Morgan, Glenn D, MCSA, Phila, to HqMC.

LIEUTENANT COLONEL

Elrod, Roy H, MCS, Quant, to Cp Smedley D
Metzelaars, Charles R, 2d MAW; to 1st MAW.
Boyd, Clay A, HqMC, to Ofc of CNO.
Juett, James G, HqMC, to 2d Bn 7th MAR.
Sperry, James W, Ofc of CNO, to 3d Mar Div.
Eisele, Harold A, 1st MAW, to COMCAB
East.
Lemaire, Paul A, Jr, 3d MAW, to HqMC, for
FurAs to JCS.
Robichaud, Clifford J, Jr, 2d InfBn, USMCR.
Ban, to NavSec MAAG, Saigon, Vietnam.
Scott, Jack C, AFSC NorVa, to 1st MAW.
Donnell, James W, HqMC, to USNAV Mis-
sion, Caracas, Venezuela.
Woodbury, Herbert F, 2d Mar Div, to MCS,
Quant.
Bossard, Lawrence H, Barstow, Calif, to
Mil Gen Sup Agcy, Richmond, Va.
Chlp, William C, 3d Mar Div, to MCS, Quant.
Tatsch, James H, Caracas, Venezuela, to MB
NB Brooklyn.

MAJOR

Fairchild, Richard H, 2d MAW, to MCB
Campen.
Duncan, Edward F, 1st Mar Div, to CINC
Lant.
Watson, Royce W, NAS, Pncla, to 3d Mar
Div.
Oliver, Roy E, 2d MAW, to MCAAS, Beau-
fort, SC.
Smith, Max D, Jr, 3d Mar Div, to MCB Cam
Pen.

CAPTAIN

Morgan, William H, Ptsmh, Va, to 2d Mar
Div.
Wright, Dennis W, Coronado, S Diego, 3d
MAW.
Ferry, Richard T, MCS, Quant, to HqMC.
Gelger, William J, 2d MAW, to NavTestCen,
PaxRiv.

designated for AEDO. These officers have
over 15 years yet to serve in their normal
careers and in many cases are not far
removed from their last squadron as-
signments.

It is expected that a variety of patterns
would be followed by this group. Some
would undoubtedly return to active
squadron assignments; others, while also
being assigned to the operating forces
would concentrate more on staff assign-
ments and in maintenance billets. Offi-
cers in these grades who are not naval
aviators would continue in the aeronauti-
cal organization as aviation ground offi-
cers.

Studies in career plans for this group
are now being developed to meet the
serious problems of maintenance and op-
eration of the increasingly complex air-
craft coming into operational use.

Secretary Douglas asked for "prompt"
action on the proposed legislation so as
to relieve AEDO's of "uncertainty" about
their future status, which has developed
as a result of the board recommenda-
tions.

The Secretary also noted that the re-
cent consolidation of the Bureaus of
Aeronautics and Ordnance into the new
Bureau of Naval Weapons brought both
AEDO's and unrestricted Line officers
from the two old bureaus into the new
bureau. He said it is "highly desirable"
to place all of these officers on as nearly
the same footing as practicable "at the
earliest possible date."

The proposed legislation provides for
no increase in the authorized or actual
number of Navy flag officers. Those now
designated as AEDO's would be carried
as extra numbers in grade until their
retirement or until 1 July 1965, which-
ever is earlier.

The number to be so carried is limited
to eight (the number presently on board)
and is subject to reduction by the Sec-
retary of the Navy as the present flag offi-
cers retire.

The proposal would reduce the author-
ized number of restricted Line flag
officers from 13% to 9% of the prescribed
number of unrestricted Line flag officers.

M/G McAlister Commands Marine Pacific Dept.

Maj. Gen. Francis M. McAlister has
assumed command of the Marine Corps
Department of the Pacific at Headquar-
ters, 100 Harrison St., San Francisco.

He relieved Maj. Gen. Alan Shapley,
CG, Marine Corps Base, Camp Pendle-
ton, Calif, who had commanded the De-
partment of the Pacific as additional
duties since 23 October, 1959.

General McAlister last served as Dep-
uty Commander, Fleet Marine Force,
Pacific, with headquarters in Hawaii.

General McAlister and his wife, the
former Bernice Wilkins of Portsmouth,
Va., will reside at 2083 Pacific Ave., San
Francisco.

Morrow, Thomas E, MCAS, El Toro, to VX-6.
Moon, Robert L, 3d Mar Div, to CNAV
ANTRA.

Norton, Jerome L, 3d Mar Div, to CNAV
ANTRA.

Rosenthal, Joseph S, 1st ANGLICO, to
CNAVANTRA.

Bardin, James N, 1st Mar Div, to 1st MAW.

Blair, Anthony L, El Centro, Calif, to For
Trps FMFLant for DIFOT w/2d ANGLICO.

Cochran, James R W, 1st Mar Div, to MCS,
Quant.

Elam, David L, 2d MAW, to 2d Mar Div.

Gravel, Marcus J, USS Rochester, to MCRD
S Diego.

Lumpkin, Aubrey L, MCRD S Diego, to USS
Rochester.

McMahon, Paul G, 2d MAW, to NaTestCen,
PaxRiv.

Stewart, Ray N, 3d MAW, to NaTestCen,
PaxRiv.

Burk, Thomas K, MACS-7, to 2d MAW.

Hutter, Harold H, Jr, 3d Mar Div, to MCS,
Quant.

Snodgrass, Clyde R, 1st Mar Div, to 5th
MCRD.

Stanton, Donald C, MCS, Quant, to 3d Mar
Div.

Yanke, Richard L, 3d MAW, to MCAS, Cher
Pt.

Lockie, John E, USS Montrose, to MCRD
S Diego.

Moriarty, James M, AirFMFPac, to 3d MAW.

Walbert, Edwin J, 3d Mar Div, to MCB
Campen.

1ST LIEUTENANT

Berry, Eugene A, USS Canberra, to Phb
TraCom LantFlt.

Flynn, John F, 1st Mar Div, to 3d Mar Div.

Machenberg, Donald E, ForTrps FMFPac,
to USS Canberra.

Reilly, James K, Bridgeport, Calif, to MB
NS Adak, Alaska.

Stonum, Burl V, 1st Mar Div, to USS Mon-
rovia.

Vogt, John S, 2d Mar Div, to USS Northamp-
ton.

Silva, Hector J, 2d Mar Div, to as NAO/TAC.

Foulger, Stephen R, 2d MAW, to 2d Mar Div.

Millcevic, Richard J, Jr, 3d MAW, to Com
SvcSupp Progscol, NAS, Alameda, Calif.

Burton, John J, USS Northampton, to MCRD
PISC.

Crowdis, Marvin L, 1st MAW, to CNA
BATRA.

Harvin, Joseph E, Jr, ForTrps FMFLant, to
2d MAW.

MacFarlane, John L, 3d MAW, to 1st Mar
Brig.

Maj. Wilson At P. I.

Maj. Robert R. Wilson has succeeded
Maj. Donald McGuire as Exchange Offi-
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Corps Recruit Depot.

Major McGuire reports to the Third
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General Shoup Tells BLT Plans

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vested in the Marine Corps.

His goal will be to "insure that all ac-
tive Fleet Marine Force units are main-
tained at effective combat strengths and
that we have as few deactivated or
cadred units as possible."

One of the major problems facing the
Corps, General Shoup said, "is the grow-
ing obsolescence of the fleet. This is as
much a matter of concern to me as it is
to the Chief of Naval Operations. Marine
Corps amphibious capability is directly
dependent upon the amphibious ship-
ping available within the Navy."

He recalls that Congress was informed
last year that two CVS carriers were
available for helicopter operations, in ad-
dition to an old converted CVE, or escort
carrier, which has been in use for about
four years. "Today," he reminded the
Senators, "we have but those three car-
riers."

General Shoup added however, that
the Marines look forward to fiscal '61
"as a year of increased readiness of our
combat forces and one in which our
bases, depots and other establishments
will be prepared to uphold their roles
in support of the missions of the
Marine Corps."

To 3d MAW

From Beeville, Tex:
Horak, Frank J, Jr King, James, Jr

To 1st Mar Brig

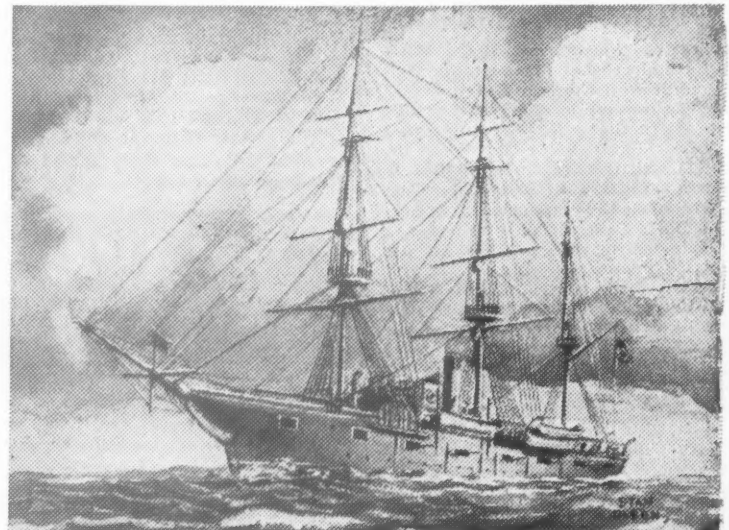
From NAS, Pncla:
Calvert, John D Hippensteel, T O
Craig, Herbert E

WARRANT OFFICER

Vaughn, Edwin "R" Forest Park, Ill., to
MCAS, CherPt.
Becker, Robert P, NAS, Jax, to 2d MAW.
Inman, Richard L, HqMC, to MCB CamLej.

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Air Force Will Promote 16,505

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ranks of first lieutenant through brigadier general. Revised figures in the new report show that the number of promotions to these ranks which already have been or are expected to be made through the remainder of the current fiscal year will total 19,070.

This results from the authority for additional promotion to major.

For temporary promotion, the two-year time-in-grade minimum which was fashioned during fiscal '60 for promotion to lieutenant colonel and major, will be extended to promotion to captain.

Minimum time-in-grade requirements for temporary promotion to colonel and first lieutenant will continue at 48 and 18 months respectively.

The Air Force also said "a limited number" of captains and majors may be selected for promotion during fiscal '61

from among those who have 48 months' time-in-grade and 14 years PLS/AFCS service (for majors) and 10 years PLS/AFCS service (for captains).

During fiscal year 1959, the Air Force made 16,420 promotions, including 51 to brigadier general, 320 to colonel, 967 to lieutenant colonel, 2051 to major, 5030 to captain and 8001 to first lieutenant.

Here is the way the promotion picture looks for fiscal '61, in the ranks through brigadier general, as compared with promotions in the current fiscal year.

TO	'61	'60
B/G	40	49
Col.	400	400
Lt. Col.	960	953
Major	3,000	3,766
Capt.	5,971	6,169
1st Lieut.	6,111	7,733
Total	16,483	19,070

Resignations Of AF Regular Officers Are Almost As High As Retirement Total

THE Air Force during the last fiscal year lost 224 Regular officers by statutory and Title II retirement, and 215 by resignations. The resignations included 10 lieutenant colonels, 20 majors, 80 captains, and 105 first lieutenants.

During fiscal '59, there were 209 Regular officer resignations, a decline from the 263 total in fiscal '57.

Among the list of Regular officer retirements in fiscal '59 were 1 general, 1 lieutenant general, 14 major generals, 10 brigadier generals, 122 colonels, 61 lieutenant colonels, 14 majors, and 1 captain. Only 56 had 30 or more years service.

There were 370 Selected and Title II retirements, including 20 colonels, 78 lieutenant colonels, 165 majors, 107 captains.

Col. Clark Fires Genie From F-106

The first practice version of the MB-1 "Genie" atomic rocket has been successfully fired from a Convair F-106 by Col. William C. Clark while on a high altitude mission. He fired at a target being towed by a B-57.

Colonel Clark, from McGuire AFB, N. J., is the commander of the F-106 Joint Test Force which has the responsibility of putting the Delta Dart through its paces in a complete testing program for the Air Defense Command.

ADC will be the command which uses the F-106 in its inventory of fighter-interceptors used for the air defense of the United States.

Although this is not the first time the "Genie" rocket has been fired from the F-106 at Tyndall AFB, Fla., it is the first such firing under the testing program. A few months ago a Genie was fired during another 4756th Test Squadron project.

Colonel Clark was flying an F-106 from McGuire AFB, N. J., and was controlled from Tyndall and guided to his target by Capt. William Smith of the Air Defense Group, who was on duty as controller for the mission.

Test Squadron project officer is Capt. Norman Smedes. Captain Al Arronson is project officer for the 4756th Air Defense Wing and Capt. Alvin Reeser is project officer for the Air Defense Group.

ARPA Aims At "Breakthrough" Research; Booster Transfer Provides Added Funds

BRIG. Gen. Austin W. Betts, USA, new Director of the Advanced Research Projects Agency, has declared that transfer of the "big booster" program to NASA will give the Pentagon more funds for "breakthrough" research.

In testimony before the House Space Committee 26 January, General Betts said, "A reduction in the specific hardware requirements" of the ARPA program, "for example, expensive rocket boosters," has brought "a reduction in the over-all dollar expenditure request" in the ARPA budget.

Of the \$215 million requested for ARPA in the fiscal '61 budget, he said, "a significantly greater portion can now be devoted to the kinds of advanced research leading hopefully to 'breakthrough' technology for which the Agency was created."

General Betts also told the Committee that clarification of ARPA's role and mis-

sion, made possible by recent decisions of the Secretary of Defense, will "permit us to devote increasing attention to our research and development task and less to the critical, but for ARPA unrelated, areas with which we have been previously concerned."

He said about half of the ARPA budget will be devoted to Project Defender "in an attempt to discover adequate means to counter operational ballistic missiles in the future."

ARPA "thinking," General Betts said, "is geared beyond the more conventional Nike-Zeus concept which involves . . . destruction of a missile toward the terminal phase of its flight."

He said ARPA is studying missile interception "at the early, midcourse and terminal phases of light by means extending beyond the current state of technical knowledge."

YOUNGER AIR FORCE

AIR Force officers are getting younger.

In a report sent to Capitol Hill this week, the Air Force said the average age for Air Force officers as of 30 June 1959 was 33.5 years. The previous June it was 33.9.

The following chart shows average age by grade:

	30 June '59	30 June '58
Gen.	49.3	49.9
Col.	44.1	44.6
Lt. Col.	42.3	42.8
Maj.	39.7	40.0
Capt.	34.7	35.5
1st Lt.	26.2	27.0
2d Lt.	23.5	24.5
Average	33.5	33.9

B/G Ashkins Heads Board

Brig. Gen. Milton H. Ashkins, Commander of the 73d Air Division at Tyndall AFB, Fla., presided over the ADC promotion board in Colorado Springs this week to recommend officers for promotion to Colonel. He was to return to Tyndall 29 January.

Permanent-Temporary Ranks Compared

MORE than one-third of all Regular Air Force officers are serving in higher temporary rank than their permanent grade.

Statistics released this week by the House and Senate Armed Services Committees show that 76 Regulars hold temporary ranks which are three grades above their permanent grade. Those with two-ranks-above total 1,462, and 15,083 are one rank higher.

Of the 78,748 active-duty Reservists, 11,669 are serving one grade below their permanent grade. Only 36 Reservists are serving two grades above their permanent grade and 17,564, mostly in lower ranks, hold one rank above their permanent status.

Here are figures, as of 30 September, which show the distribution of both USAF and USAFR (male and female) Line and other than Line commissioned officers by permanent grade and temporary grade:

REGULAR										
Permanent Grade	Grade In Which Serving									
	L/ Gen	M/ Gen	B/ Gen	L/ Col	Col	Maj	Capt.	1/Lt.	2/Lt.	
12	28	34								
80		2								
51		202	2,202							
1,657			3,830							
482			3,205			7,607				
76			895			4,440	11,226			
						22	4,412	4,976		
								1,779	1,198	
12	28	165	204	4,417	7,930	12,069	15,638	6,755	1,198	
RESERVE										
2										
3		4								
				341	276	3				
				7	2,000	4,267				
					70	6,249	6,907			
						324	16,815	175		
							4,355	15,486	44	
							36	12,805	8,579	
5	4	348	2,346	10,843	28,113	28,466	8,623			

Change At High Wycombe



MAJ. GEN. Charles B. Westover, (left) has assumed command of SAC's 7th Air Division at High Wycombe, England from Maj. Gen. W. H. Blanchard. General Westover had been SAC Director of Plans at Offutt AFB, Nebr.

X-15 PROGRAM

North American Test Pilot Scott Crossfield will make five to 10 more flights with the X-15 after which the hypersonic research aircraft will be turned over to the National Aeronautics and Space Administration which will set up a program of further tests by NASA and Air Force pilots.

Mr. Crossfield told the Aviation Writers Association in Washington on 27 January that 15 flights already have been made by him in the three X-15's built by North American. He will make further tests when the bigger engines have been delivered and installed, but his flights will be within restricted limits and no attempts will be made by him to test the maximum capabilities of the research aircraft.

RCAF Will Augment Its Otter Fleet

The Royal Canadian Air Force will take delivery in March of the first of 27 new deHavilland Otter aircraft, widely used by the U. S. Army.

The RCAF order will augment the fleet of 39 Otters in service since 1953.

The 27 aircraft will be produced at a cost of \$2 million.

B-58 Hustler Tests End At Eglin AFB

A B-58 Hustler, which has been at the Eglin AFB, Fla., Air Proving Ground Center since March 1959, has returned to the Fort Worth plant of Convair.

Technicians and engineers from Convair and their subcontractor, Emerson Electric Co., Inc., have subjected the fire control system of the Hustler to extensive testing, using the highly-instrumented ranges of the Air Proving Ground Center.

Mr. R. P. Andrews, manager of the test team for Convair-Fort Worth, said about 65 employees would be leaving Eglin as a result of completion of the test project.

Although the supersonic bomber, the eighth model to roll off the production line, will no longer be based at Eglin, APGC officials said testing of the Hustler will continue using Eglin ranges during supersonic flights staged out of the Fort Worth facility.

Col. Gray Will Get Portland Command

Col. Leon W. Gray, Commander of Geiger Field's 4700th Air Defense Wing at Spokane, Wash., will be reassigned as Commander of the Portland Air Defense Sector near Corvallis, late next month.

He will be succeeded by Col. James K. Dowling, Deputy Commander of the 4700th since August 1959.

Colonel Gray will assume command of the new SAGE (Semi-Automatic Ground Environment) facility at Corvallis, one of four 25th Air Division facilities destined to direct the push-button air defense of the entire northwest area.

Capt. Kirlin Will Help France Tell The Score

Capt. William F. Kirlin, an Air Proving Ground Center expert on Aerial Scoring Systems at Eglin AFB, Fla., has been named at USAF advisor to France in his specialty.

He will work with French officers and scientists engaged in research and development on scoring systems.

He helped evaluate a French drone scoring system in Paris in July 1958 and plans a trip to Paris in April to confer with authorities about recent developments in the scoring fields.

General White Discloses Air Force Cuts In Support Units; AirRescue, AirEvac Hit

THE Air Force has "drastically curtailed" the Air Rescue Service and phased-down its aeromedical evacuation units.

General Thomas D. White disclosed the cutbacks in testimony 26 January before the Senate Armed Services Committee.

He said the Air Force has had to make "substantial reductions" in its combat support units in order to maintain "as many effective combat forces as possible."

Although there is a military need for the aeromedical evacuation and Air Rescue units, the Air Force Chief of Staff said, "we cannot afford to support them at the expense of our combat forces."

General White also told the Committee, during a briefing on current Air Force "posture," that he would like to see research, development, test and evaluation efforts "speeded up" in areas that directly affect the future combat capability of the Air Force.

But, he said, the budget request in this area "is considered to be in reasonable balance with other appropriation levels."

He said, "It maintains our commitment in funding basic research programs, maintains the same level of support of the RDT&E installations and continues a reasonable applied research effort."

Discussing Soviet capabilities, General White told the Committee "the Soviet Air Force is the USSR's most dangerous weapon."

The Chief of Staff said the "increasing" Soviet missile threat has brought "a tendency on the part of some to overlook or to downgrade Soviet aircraft strength."

He informed the Senators, however, that "there is every indication that this force will remain powerful and will continue to perform as an integral part of Soviet strategic striking power."

General White also said the Soviets are augmenting their bomber strength with a "rapidly growing medium and intercontinental range ballistic missile force."

The USSR's aerospace threat, he declared, "is increasingly pressing, diversi-

fied, sophisticated and ominous."

The Air Force Chief of Staff told the Senators, however, that the U. S. Strategic Air Command is "the most powerful global fighting force in the world."

He said the Air Force is enthusiastic about progress it is making toward an air-launched ballistic missile—the Sky Bolt. "Prototype tests of this new weapon," he said, "have already proved that it can be launched from aircraft while flying at both subsonic and supersonic speeds."

When the United States reaches the point where it can combine such missiles with an atomic aircraft, General White said, the country will have "the most mobile striking power ever achieved."

General White mentioned the B-70 bomber program only briefly in his prepared statement. He said the budget contains funds "to continue development leading to two B-70 airframes and for further work on the propulsion system for a nuclear power aircraft."

He added, however, that "Despite progress in missile technology, a larger number of aerospace operational requirements can be satisfied only by aircraft armed with missiles. Thus, there is absolutely no question that manned vehicles will continue to be a necessity in aerospace warfare."

He said, "Research in the area of higher speed and longer endurance will not only reap direct security benefits, but will eventually, as it has in the past, provide us with improved civil air transportation—another national requirement."

USAF Orders

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Gross, William M. fr Langley AFB, to 1171st USAF Fgn Msn Sq (MAP), Hq Comd USAF, Ft Myer, Va, w/dy sta Det 2 (USAF Air Sec, MAAG, Denmark), APO 170, NY, for dy as Ch, MAAG, NLT 27 Feb.

Gallant, (Col) Edward B, fr Norton AFB, & ret in gr of BrigGen, eff 31 Jan.

LIEUTENANT COLONEL

Fr Wash, DC, to Sta Indicated

Pearson, Karl B, 1127th USAF Fld Acty Gp, Hq Comd USAF, Ft Belvoir.

Salisbury, Stanley G, Hq SMAMA, AMC, McClellan AFB.

Rowland, Dwight R, Hq Seventeenth AF, USAFE, APO 12, NY.

MAJOR

Scheldecker, Robert N, Robins AFB, to AF Dep, AMC, Shelby, O.

Byrne, James F, 1127th Fld Acty Gp, Hq Comd USAF, Ft Belvoir.

1ST LIEUTENANT

Cooksey, William R, 3d, Robins AFB, to dy sta Det 14, APO 76, SF.

RETIRED—

Colonel

Gallo, (LtCol) Frank P, as LtCol & adv to Col.

Currie, Howard F.

Simons, Maurice M.

Kleinoeder, (LtCol) Leonard P, as LtCol & adv to Col.

Howell, Alfred S.

Parham, Harry C.

Ray, (LtCol) Clyde A, as LtCol & adv to Col.

Lt Colonel

Chenoweth, Lee A

Boger, Martin K

Wretschko, John C

Sheppard, Virgil E

Schmidt, Fred N

Major

Arbutina, Millard.

Lawson, Warren V, as LtCol.

Facuna, Bessie.

Menghini, Malcolm R, as LtCol.

Parkhurst, Marvin D, as LtCol.

Feiger, Herbert M, as LtCol.

McNamara, Mary E.

Miller, Paul A.

Humphrey, Ivan A, as LtCol.

Reimer, Ira H, Jr, as LtCol.

Thompson, Lewis H, as LtCol.

Mollenberg, George W.

Captain

Skibba, Edward J.

Johnson, David R, as Maj.

Carter, Elias J, as Maj.

Ohligschläger, James K, as Maj.

Reed, Hovey G.

Felding, Herbert G, as Maj.

Stewart, Snowden, as Maj.

Sigall, Edward, as Maj.

Vezeym, William E, as Maj.

Asst. Coach Leaves Falcons

Col. George B. Simler, U. S. Air Force Academy Athletic Director, has announced that Lt. Pepper Rodgers, Falcon backfield coach, has accepted the position of Assistant Football Coach at the University of Florida. He came to the Academy when the newly-hired Ben Martin organized his staff for the 1958 spring practice. He is being released from the Service, and reports to Florida around 1 February.

Chief Warrant Officer

Smith, W-2 Robert F, as W-3.

Boman, W-2 Hobart F.

Martinkovic, W-2 Paul J.

Robinson, W-4 (W-3) Hiawatha, as W-4.

Dozois, W-3 Ronald E.

Gulchard, W-3 Maurice C.

Perry, W-3 Albert T.

Rainous, W-2 Albert A.

OFFICERS TO TEMP DISAB RET LIST—

Major

Mellor, Arthur R, as LtCol.

1st Lieutenant

Bibbo, John P.

Wolfley, Richard D.

RESIGNED—

Brown, Capt William R.

Emerson, Capt James H.

PERMANENT PROMOTIONS—

To Captain

W/DR 60

13 Jan: Sherrod, James W; Mahafee, Clyde

E, jr; Merriman, Bobby M; Hickerson, W V D.

14 Jan: Johnson, James; Herdrich, William F; Miller, August A; Dancer, Charles T; Hartley, Clarence D; Nielson, Robert; Dean, Sidney N; Olsen, Reed J; Carrington, John D; Slagle, James R; Soroka, Edward J; Cihak, Edward J; Roberts, Donald R; Penella, Anthony J; Sink, Joe G, jr.

15 Jan: Neumann, Myrdon T; Coraine, R W; Richey, Elsie V T, (NC).

16 Jan: Hartley, Willard W; Berge, Barbara J, (NC).

17 Jan: Bowman, George P, jr; Rudewick, William K.

18 Jan: Losasso, Carl A; Yeschek, R L; Park, Maynard L.

19 Jan: Lufkin, Daniel H; Otteson, Gerald R.

20 Jan: Ives, Russell B; Snodgrass, Richard N; Richards, Merwin E; Garcia, George A; Grady, Michael J, jr; Dixon, Robert E; Taylor, Thomas C; Campbell, Billy C; Schipper, Harold L, jr.

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USSR Dictatorship Is Stronger Than Rhetoric

Wilfred J. McNeil, speaking from a background of more than 12 years of top level service with the Department of Defense, cautioned the Nation this week against any relaxation of defenses in light of the eased attitude of the Soviet government.

In accepting the Forrestal Memorial Award presented to him by the National Security Industrial Association, the former Assistant Secretary of Defense called attention to the risks we would be taking in putting too much credence in the declared intentions of the Khrushchev government to cut back on the strength of Soviet armed forces. (See story on page 26).

It would be far too easy, Mr. McNeil pointed out, for a totalitarian government to mask its actions and unleash a sudden attack. The United States can not with safety embark on a major disarmament program so long as the government of the Soviet Union is in the hands of a dictatorship, unless a verifiable and enforceable arms control agreement can be put into effect.

Yet at the same time, the responsible chiefs of our defense organization and the political opposition are haggling over the rhetorical question as to whether or not our defense can be made stronger by definitions, re-definitions, and euphemisms.

If Russia should decide to base her defenses on the "intentions" of the United States, the world outlook would be vastly changed.

There should be no difficulty in determining the state of our defenses vis-a-vis Russia's military strength plus the built-in power of her dictatorship. We should stop playing with words and get back to fundamentals.

Senator Russell Holds Key To Retired Pay Action

The man with the key to the impasse which blocks the road to equalization of retired pay is Senator Richard B. Russell (D-Ga), Chairman of the Senate Committee on Armed Services.

As forecast in THE JOURNAL of 16 January, this vital bill has been caught in a legislative deadlock which already has obviated fulfillment of the plans of President Eisenhower and Defense Secretary Gates for remedial legislation by 1 February. Without effective action, the measure could remain pocketed in a dead end indefinitely.

What has put the measure under legislative cross-fire is the attitude of Senator John C. Stennis (D-Miss). Mr. Stennis has stated that he is opposed to equalizing retired pay and that if the measure comes up he will inject his pet proposal to institute a system of contributory retirement pay for the Armed Services. As Chairman of the Subcommittee on Manpower and Personnel Matters, he is in a position to cause trouble. Leaders of the House Armed Services Committee fear that if they get the retirement equalization bill through the House before the Senate acts, they will give Mr. Stennis the opportunity he wants to substitute his pay-deduction-for-retirement plan. Such action would throw the entire question into a Senate-House conference and deny the House the opportunity of considering it on its merits in committee and on the floor.

House advocates, therefore, are sitting still hoping that the Senate will act first on the Presidential-supported pay equalization bill.

Such a deadlock could endure until this Congress expires.

Senator Russell, in his position as Chairman, has the power to initiate action in his Committee. Then, whether the contributory plan is brought in or not, the House Committee would have the opportunity to have the entire subject considered on its merits and would not feel that the Stennis plan was being railroaded to enactment.

How about it Senator Russell?

A Reminder At General Medaris' Retirement

A volunteer Marine in WWI at the age of 16, Maj. Gen. John R. Medaris retires 31 January as Commanding General of the Army Ordnance Missile Command at Huntsville, Ala. He leaves a legacy of brilliant achievement, dramatized by the success of the General Medaris-Dr. Wehrner Von Braun team in the Explorer I satellite orbit.

As he departs a distinguished career of service to the Nation, General Medaris also leaves behind a lesson that must not be forgotten. Long before the Soviets had achieved the startling success of Sputnik I on 4 October 1957, he had been urging a stepped-up missile and space research and development program aimed at achieving Free World supremacy in a new dimension of military power.

The pleadings of General Medaris and those of military leaders in other Services, went in vain. Now, we must talk about the second-rank prospect that perhaps the "missile gap" will not be as great as once feared, and we can express the hope that it will not be too long before we catch up with Soviet rocket power.

Without the contribution of General Medaris, there is no question that we would be even farther to the rear. Had his counsel been heeded, the United States today would be in front of the Soviets in rocket power.

READERS' VIEWS

Technological Unemployment

(The italics in the following letter are those of the author.)

■ The Technological Unemployment of Pilots is with us—not only to stay but in increasing measure over the next few years. This distasteful fact must be faced realistically by both the pilots and the Air Force.

The advent of nuclear weapons, missiles, and now the impending dawn of space travel have simply relegated most military air vehicles to the twilight of their useful lives. It is this simple fact—and only this—which dictates the economic and military logic of grounding an increasingly large percentage of our present pilot force.

The pilots selected for grounding have not lost proficiency or capability—have not been derelict in their flying duties or their desire to fly—the Air Force simply needs fewer pilots and must develop a selection criteria to determine the sequence in which most of the current pilots will eventually be grounded.

To take issue with the necessity for this grounding action is to become an Air Force counterpart of the "Battle-ship Admirals" whom we all so derisively criticized a decade or so ago. I take no issue with the logic and necessity for this grounding action—but I do take violent issue with the entire philosophy and mechanics by which it was implemented—and I take this issue not as a bitter man but rather as one who is deeply concerned with its impending impact on the Air Force's ability to carry out its mission!

Let us analyze the situation in a logical manner:

The need for Air Force pilots has diminished and is diminishing due to technological advances in the art and science of warfare.

Simultaneously, the Air Force's need for highly skilled engineers and scientists has rapidly increased to keep pace with and advance this technology.

The "in being" operational SAC, TAC, and ADC aircraft are vital to our present defenses and will be the last (other than some cargo support aircraft) to become unnecessary.

The operational pilots and instructors who train replacements for these vehicles are continually vital also.

This relatively small percentage of the total rated force constitutes an easily recognizable group and contains the only individuals, by name, who logically must remain on flying status.

The remaining urgent, important and unimportant needs of the Air Force for the operation of aircraft can be handled by any segment of the vast pool of Air Force pilots which this leaves.

There exists an almost zero probability that any major portion of this remaining pool will ever again engage in actual aerial combat with the enemy regardless of their past record or their currency in garden-variety jet aircraft.

"Rated potential" then, for the huge number of pilots in this pool, resolves itself down to "Can they safely and effectively fly the supporting missions of the Air Force?"—and almost any or all of them can!

The Air Force, then, possesses this "pool of pilots" and the necessity to drastically reduce it—what should control the criteria for the sequence of this reduction—the long range benefit of the Air Force or overriding concern for minor differences in the number of recorded flying hours and types of aircraft flown?

Of this pilot pool—all of whom are competent—which should Air Force

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IN THE JOURNAL

Admiral Loses \$22 Income Tax Decision; Arlington Contraband Colony Is Investigated

10 Years Ago—The Navy's Aviation Cadet Program, which has dwindled from a post-war output of 2,650 new pilots a year to less than half that number, will suffer another setback under 1950 appropriations.

50 Years Ago—An officer's salary may be legally assessed under the income tax law of a state, according to a decision of the U. S. Supreme Court rendered on 24 Jan. in the case of Rear Admiral N. M. Dyer, USN ret., vs. the City of Melrose, Mass. The sum involved was only \$22, but

the assessment was resisted by Admiral Dyer, on the ground that it was incompetent for state authorities to levy a tax upon his salary as a government official.

96 Years Ago—A Military Commission has been appointed, at the request of Colonel Green, Chief Quartermaster of the Department of Washington, for the purpose of investigating the affairs of the contraband colony at Arlington. The report of the commission is to be placed in the hands of a joint committee of Congress, for their action.

House Hearings Set On Hébert Report; Senator Seeks Dual-Employ Change

FULL House Armed Services Committee hearings will open 8 February on the Hébert retired-officer legislation. In rapid-fire action, Committee Chairman Carl Vinson (D-Ga) who will preside over the hearings, first set an earlier date (1 February), but then agreed to a week's delay to enable the Pentagon, Justice Department and other interested Government agencies to prepare reports on the Hébert proposals.

The earlier date would have crowded-out the previously planned White Charger hearings, due to open before the Kilday Subcommittee. The career-officer management hearings, temporarily set aside when Chairman Vinson decided on the Hébert hearings, have been re-scheduled to open 1 February.

When the Hébert legislation reaches the Senate, efforts will be made to expand the dual-employment, dual-compensation recommendations. Senator Jacob K. Javits (R-NY) says that Congressional responsibility doesn't end with preventing abuses of what Congress considers a public trust. "It also becomes our duty to do affirmative acts which will offer a better opportunity for retired officers," he said.

Two Javits bills on the subject already are before the Senate. One offers retired officers working for the Government an opportunity to receive an increased share of their retired pay, plus a civilian salary, if they are in jobs which the Civil Service Commission has classified as being short of personnel. The other calls for a Civil Service study of possible ways to increase the utilization of retired officers in Government jobs. Both should be considered along with the Hébert legislation, the Senator states.

The Journal editorial urging special insurance coverage for families of Service people who volunteer for aircraft test and space missions has been called to the attention of Congress by Rep. Emilio Q. Daddario (D-Conn). He introduced legislation (THE JOURNAL, 16 January) to provide Service astronauts with \$100,000 insurance policies. Inserting the editorial in the Congressional Record, he said it "shows that there is a need for this type of coverage."

In a rare public appearance, Chairman Carl Vinson of the House Armed Services Committee will be the main speaker 9 February at the Veterans of Foreign Wars annual dinner for members of Congress who have served in the Armed Forces. Outside of his home district in Georgia (and not often there), the powerful House member accepts few invitations of any kind. The VFW will award him the organization's Distinguished Civilian Gold Medal. Presented to only six others since it was first established in 1948, the award goes to Chairman Vinson for his "historic contributions" to national defense.

To speed transfer of the Von Braun missile team from Army to NASA, Representative B. F. Sisk (D-Calif) has asked Congress to waive the 60-day waiting period. Under law, the President must wait two months, after formal notification, to see if Congress is going to disapprove a proposed transfer. If no action is taken, the transfer can go ahead as scheduled. Congressman Sisk, a member of the House Space Committee, says this is no time for "overly cautious consideration." To oppose the transfer would only be "to condemn it to continued underutilization because of present restrictions on Army missions," he declared. If the Sisk proposal is approved, the transfer can take effect immediately.

More mobile and smaller missile systems can be seen around the corner. This was the word from Secretary of Defense Gates during testimony before the House Space Committee. Dr. Herbert York, Defense Director of Research and Engineering, in answer to questions about Russia's "bigger" weapons, said, "We think that making them smaller is better than making them bigger."

The Supreme Court decisions erasing Defense Department trial authority for civilians at overseas military bases have prompted Senator Thomas C. Hennings, jr. (D-Mo) to write Secretary Gates to find out how the Pentagon proposes to handle such problems in the future. He has asked that his Senate Constitutional Rights Subcommittee, which has been studying related problems for the past two years, be advised as soon as possible of future Pentagon plans for handling criminal jurisdiction of civilians with American military overseas. There are three alternatives, the Senator states: (1) let foreign countries try such civilians the same way they would try any American tourist under local laws in their own courts; (2) bring the civilians home for trial in U. S. Courts, or (3) gave them legal military status so they can be court-martialed. The Senator indicated his subcommittee may want to hold further hearings once it has received the Pentagon's suggested remedy.

Repercussions of VAdm. H. G. Rickover's criticism of U. S. education are being felt in Congress. The Navy nuclear expert, in numerous articles and speeches, has stressed the growing need for overhaul of our educational standards. In a "Meet The Press" TV interview 24 January he was asked if the Administration had ever officially sought his views on the subject. He replied "No." Rep. Ken Hechler (D-WVa) took the House floor the following day to remark that Admiral Rickover's "wisdom and insight on the grave problems facing our educational system" have been discussed and debated throughout the land, but the Administration "is not even interested enough to pick up the telephone and invite him over for a discussion of probably our gravest national problem."

Questioned by the House Space Committee about Admiral Rickover's views, Secretary Gates said he agrees that education is "vital" to the national defense effort, but added that he has not personally discussed the subject with the Admiral, who, he conceded "is a great expert," or communicated his own views to the President. "The President," he said, "is well aware of the importance of this subject."

A new anti-missile system is suggested by Rep. James G. Fulton (R-Pa). The House Space Committee member recommended to Secretary Gates that the Pentagon perfect a device which would act as a booster for Soviet missiles, giving them such tremendous thrust that any aimed at the U. S. would keep right on going and wind up back in the Russian's own front yard.

A Reader's View On Pilot Problem

From preceding page—

concentrate on keeping—those who have the most flying hours? Those who have never done anything else but fly? Those who have the most diversified time—those who currently possess the maximum advanced training, capability, and potential to aid in the transition of the Air Force to a Space Force?

The criteria for grounding from our pool of pilots are strictly within the control of the Air Force—the Congress only cares about numbers and flying hour costs. I submit that all other arguments combined cannot change the one fact that it is the current and future needs of the Air Force which should control the sequence of grounding, not the multitude of essentially false criterion which is currently being used.

I have no quarrel with highly competent pure pilots—only a deep appreciation of their abilities and a nostalgic wish that their "day in the sun" need never end.

I likewise have no quarrel with their being properly rewarded for magnificent "service rendered"—in fact I strongly advocate such reward.

This "proper reward" should by no means be construed as suggesting their arbitrary or immediate grounding, but rather as advocating a gradual phase-out, dependent upon their individual desires and abilities.

Doughty, broke little England, with her back to the financial wall and borrowing the money from the United States, set a shining example and precedent for the honorable, faith-keeping method of rapidly diminishing a force of faithful competent pilots. Those pure pilots who were below retirement eligibility were separated from the service upon grounding with a very handsome severance payment—Why can the United States not afford to be at least as equitable? Why should not the option of "severance with pay" or "Space Age" cross-training be afforded our pool of pure pilots?

Some logical equitable severance program is sorely needed!

The "20-year Rated" sanctuary was conceived to protect some extremely capable officers from a pay cut, more to keep them productively on active duty than for any other single factor simply because they are needed to guide and carry forward our transition to a space force.

This same clear blunt criterion—the projected critical needs of the Air Force—should govern every personnel policy and action rather than risk having these policies formulated and administered by professional "operations officer" types who through prejudice, self-serving interest, or lack of broad understanding can drastically undermine the scientific brain-power resources of our service.

In Summary—

1. Very few pilots deserve to be grounded.

2. Any segment of the pilot pool can effectively accomplish all required supporting missions.

3. Continued flying status and pay are controlling factors in the effective retention of a very large segment of our trained scientific manpower.

4. Flying "truck drivers" constitute too large a proportion of the pilots retained on flight status under present criteria. Many of these pilots have exhibited neither the mental ability, the drive, or the intent to upgrade their formal education to meet the challenge of space operations.

5. Logical and equitable severance procedures are sorely needed to obviate the contamination of the Air Force personnel structure with bitter ineffectual ex-pilots.

6. New, logical, realistic grounding criteria must be promulgated to serve the actual interests of the Air Force.

In five years—or ten years—which officers will be best equipped to serve the Air Force in its mission? These are the individuals to keep productively on active duty!

The challenge is obvious—Will the Air Force rise to meet it?

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Benning Bank Reports 10% Stock Dividend

The National Bank of Ft. Benning, Ga., has declared a 10% stock dividend, according to Brig. Gen. C. W. Pence, USA-Ret., President.

The dividend will be paid to stockholders of 16 January record, subject to final approval of the Comptroller of the Currency.

According to General Pence, total assets as of 31 December, 1959, were \$4.7 million compared with \$3.8 million the previous year.

Profits for the year after income tax allowances amounted to \$1.08 per share compared with \$.88 per share for 1958.

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President Names Four USCG Flags

President Eisenhower sent to the Senate 27 January the names of four Coast Guard officers for promotion to the permanent rank of rear admiral.

They are captains: Henry J. Wuensch, George H. Miller, George A. Knudsen, and Christopher C. Knapp.

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MEMO--

ALL THE CURRENT FLAK regarding intelligence evaluation of Soviet "capabilities and intentions" has obscured one important fact. In military preparedness, an estimate of enemy strength that is on the high side, and then proves to be wrong, can have vital and positive results in terms of national security.

ADMINISTRATION OFFICIALS SAY that we now have improved methods for analyzing Soviet actions, compared, for example, with what was the case when Soviet "intentions" concerning jet bomber production were greatly overestimated.

THAT'S WELL AND GOOD, but the point that is not being made by Administration spokesmen is that a major reason why they can counter the charges that the Nation faces a "deterrent gap" is the action, prompted by the Soviet bomber production capability, which resulted in Congressional pressure for a substantial increase in our B-52 production.

SECRETARY GATES STUMBLED when he became involved in the delicate, political-oriented task of trying to explain certain military budget decisions on the basis of a "new look" at our intelligence reports. That task better should have been reserved for others, notably the President and CIA Director Allen Dulles. A Defense Secretary is on unassailable ground when he declares that his job is to provide maximum security for the Nation within the resources that can be made available for the Armed Forces.

Watch for Vice President Nixon to make an increasing number of visits to military installations in the next 6 months. The aim will be to strengthen his qualifications in the defense field.

THE ARMY IS CONCERNED that stories concerning alleged shortcomings of the Nike Zeus anti-missile missile are being "leaked" to the press. Some Army leaders compare this to what happened in connection with the Nike Hercules-Bomarc squabble.

IF THERE IS ONE CLEAR POINT where a Service has made known its opposition to a budget decision, it is in the reaction to the Administration's denial of Army requests for funds with which to start production of Zeus components. The Army, having said publicly that it favors a stronger go-ahead on the Zeus, certainly cannot escape detailed interrogation on this problem from Senators and Representatives.

The new CG of the Army Ordnance Missile Command, Maj. Gen. August Schomburg, will have as one of his first major challenges the direction of an important Zeus test next month at White Sands Missile Range, N. M. That test will come at a crucial point in Capitol Hill budget deliberations.

THE NAVY WILL DISCLOSE in secret Congressional testimony details of dramatic advances which have been made in anti-submarine warfare. Most notable are the successes in extending the range of underwater detection devices.

THE ARMY HAS ORDERED COMMANDERS to make certain that military personnel, active and retired, and civilian Army employees "do not travel to or through the Soviet Zone of Germany, whether on leave or official business, under circumstances where such travel would require them to accept visas from the so-called German Democratic Republic."

THE ARMY NURSE CORPS, under Col. Margaret Harper, celebrates its 59th anniversary 2 February. Present strength is about 3300 officers.

CREATION OF SPECIALIST SLEEVE-MARKERS for Navy restricted Line officers (see page 6) poses a special problem for WAVES. Some hold unrestricted Line designations although ineligible for sea command. For those in the restricted Line, the problem can be resolved easily by permitting them to wear the same sleeve device as their male counterparts. But something must be done about WAVES authorized to wear the Unrestricted Line Star. It has been suggested that Unrestricted Line WAVES wear a device consisting of the head of Pallas Athena surcharged over an anchor.

AIR FORCE ADC PILOTS who require extremely high altitude protection soon will begin wearing the new Navy Mark IV Full Pressure Flying Suit. Instruction in its use is being given to Air Force representatives at San Diego.

THE AIR FORCE'S FAILURE immediately to designate a successor to Col. Dorothy N. Zeller, new Chief, as Assistant Chief of the Nurse Corps prompts speculation as to whether this billet will be retained.

THE ARMY INFANTRY CENTER at Ft. Benning, Ga., played host during 1959 to 13,956 visitors, including 438 U. S. dignitaries and 461 from Allied countries. The list included 8 U. S. four-star officers and 6 Allied generals.

THE ARMY HAS ABANDONED almost completely its efforts to acquaint the public about activities related to space. One illustrative example is the decision at the Army Ordnance Guided Missile School to stop using the nickname "Space Academy," and to substitute, instead, "Missile Academy." More significant was the omission of space reports in prepared statements made to Congressional Committees by Army leaders.

CNO Burke took a different tack. In his Capitol testimony, he emphasized that the Navy has always been concerned with problems in space, particularly those related to navigation problems. He said the Navy will make an increasing contribution in the Nation's space program.

AIR FORCE STRENGTH CUTS have forced a phase-out of the Medical Inspector General Group at Norton AFB, Calif. No successor will be named for Brig. Gen. Robert S. Brua, its Chief, who will become MATS Surgeon at Scott AFB, Ill. The Norton medical unit will be closed by 30 June.

THE AIR FORCE MUST HIRE between 700-800 teachers for the 1960-61 school year at overseas bases. It uses about 2,000 teachers to instruct more than 50,000 youngsters.

ELIMINATE THE MARINE CORPS BOARD and submit a "brief report" on the action, General David M. Shoup has directed. "This Headquarters will assume the functions heretofore assigned to the Board," the Commandant said. The Board had the mission of meeting from time to time at the Marine Corps Schools, Quantico, Va., "to continuously examine the Corps' mission as set forth in law and supplementary directives, and recommend policies, programs, plans and measures for the implementation thereof; and, to conduct such special studies as hereafter may be directed by the CMC."

A NEW TERM HAS BEEN COINED to describe the mission of the Atlantic Fleet's Destroyer Force. The ship's paper of the destroyer tender Everglades refers to the DesLant Force as the "Security Command." Popular belief is that the DD Force mission is limited to anti-submarine warfare efforts. The term "Security Command" paints the broader mission picture which encompasses defense against attack by missile, aircraft, and surface ship and responsibility for early warning and protection of convoys. Everglades skipper is Capt. Gilven M. Slonim, who becomes commodore of DesRon 28 in March.

TWO DOZEN GENERALS will be added to Air Force ranks during the next 5 months. There were 400 on duty as of 1 January and the 30 June forecast is 424. The number of four-star generals will remain at 11; lieutenant generals rise from 28 to 29; major generals from 161 to 172 and brigadier generals from 200 to 212. The 424 total is what the Air Force currently is authorized.

AMONG ITS GENERALS, the Air Force has 352 rated officers, of whom 338 are on flying status. There are 48 who are non-rated.

THE MARINE CORPS READY RESERVE will suffer heavy enlisted strength losses over the next three years. General David M. Shoup reports that almost half of the enlisted Ready Reservists will disappear through fiscal '63—a drop from 194,000 to about 90,000. Thousands of Reservists will complete obligated service, fewer active duty men will be released to the Reserve, and direct input from the six-month trainee program will be limited.

THE ARMED FORCES BEGAN 1960 with a manpower strength of 2,490,035, which is almost exactly the totals forecast for both 30 June 1960 and 30 June 1961. The President's military budget (The Journal 23 January) announced end strengths for fiscal years '60 and '61 at 2,489,000. From 30 November to 31 December 1959, the Services lost 10,532 men. At the start of '60, the Army total was 876,258, compared to 870,000 in the new budget. The Navy had 613,153, which is about 6,000 below the new budget figure. The Marine Corps strength of 171,202 compares with fiscal year end strengths of 175,000. The Air Force began this year with 829,422, and will drop to 825,000 by June.

HERCULES IN HAWAII. The Army has authorized construction of 4 Nike Hercules battery sites, with 2 more to be chosen. Hawaii National Guard units will man the missiles around-the-clock.

A NEW REPORT ON FLYING SAFETY from Offutt AFB, Nebr., headquarters makes the point in the first paragraph that SAC is "responsible for providing 90% of the United States' deterrent force." During 1959, SAC's accident rate decreased to 3 per 100,000 flying hours, with 17 bases reporting accident-free records. The previous low was a rate of 5 per 100,000 in 1957 and 1958. Last year SAC crews flew 1,616,791 hours. Col. Woodrow P. Swancutt is SAC Safety Division Chief.

NOT ONLY IN THE AIR, but also on the ground, SAC set new safety records last year. The injury rate on and off military installations was 2.68 per 100,000 mandays. This compares with an Air Force-wide rate of 3.81 recorded for the first 9 months of 1959.

A UNIQUE NATIONAL GUARD UNIT has been authorized in Utah. It's a military intelligence linguistic company, which would be assigned to field army headquarters. The organization includes a lieutenant colonel, 17 other officers, and 35 enlisted men who are required to have a language capability.

BIGGEST "POSTURE" REPORT to the Senate Armed Services Committee—in terms of pages—was made by Secretary of the Army Wilber M. Brucker. His prepared statement was 31 pages. Secretary of Defense Gates used 15.

THE AIR FORCE HAS SUCCEEDED in landing the first ski-equipped Lockheed C-130 Hercules in Antarctica. The Tactical Air Command will operate 7 of the four-engine turboprops during Operation Deep Freeze 60. Members of the Navy's Antarctic Air Squadron (VX-6) will participate in the tests to prepare for the Navy's acquisition of 4 Hercules transports for use in Antarctica and other Navy cold weather operations.

Army Orders

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Grant, Wilburn E, Ft Bragg, to USA Fld Det M, OACSI USA, Wash, DC, w/sta Paris France.
Reidenbaugh, Charles H, Wash, DC, to Japan.
Colbert, Walter F, Ft Bragg, to 1st Sp Forces Gp, Okinawa, Ryukyus Is.
Hearst, Don A (AI), Governors Is, NY, to dy sta Heidelberg, Germany.
Churchill, Ralph D, Wash, DC, to Okinawa.
Mabry, Ned B, Wash, DC, to USARCARIB (Panama).
Lydon, Joseph P, Sandia Base, NMex, to USA Elm MAAG, Cambodia, Phnom Penh.
Cook, Gerald C, Ft Dix, to USA Elm MAAG, Vietnam, Saigon.

To Germany

Arey, Carlyle W, Wash, DC.
D'Emond, Adrian A, Ft Benning.

Major

Castelli, Joseph R, Norman, Okla, to OUS-ARMA, Am Emb, Rangoon, Burma.
Seaman, Robert W, Ft Bragg, to France.
Shea, Clifford H, Ft Jackson, to USA Elm MAAG, Taiwan, Taipei.
Sprague, Robert M, Ft Dix, to USA Sig Gp, Okinawa, Ryukyus Is.
Pardue, Thomas W, Chicago, to USARCARIB (Panama).
Parker, Alfred C, Ft Monroe, to USA Elm USEUCOM, Paris, France.
Lamothe, Frank E, Ft Benning, to Korea.
Berndse, Robert M, Wash, DC, to Germany.
Scott, Billie L, Ft Riley, to France.
Nairn, William W, West Point, to First USA Stu Det Governors Is, w/sta NWC, Newport, RI.
Coachman, Francis G, Wash, DC, to USA Elm Hq SHAPE, Paris.
MacDonald, Hugh A, Ft Benning, to Stu Det Hq Third USA, Ft McPherson, w/sta Air Command & Staff College, Maxwell AFB, Montgomery, Ala.

To Stu Det USACGSC, Ft Leavenworth
Adams, Walter E, Annapolis, Md.
Barrett, John C, Jr, Ft Monroe.

COL. WELLS G-1

Col. James B. Wells has been appointed First Army G-1 at Governors Island, N. Y., after serving as Acting G-1 since November, 1959.

He replaces Col. Edward F. Thelen, named Deputy CofS for Administration last November.

Colonel Wells is the son of the late Col. and Mrs. Frank L. Wells. He is married to the former Janet Van de Carr Danford, daughter of Maj. Gen. Robert M. Danford, USA-Ret., of New York City.

Colonel and Mrs. Wells' son, Theodore, was graduated from West Point last June and is taking Ranger and Parachute training at Ft. Benning, Ga., prior to going to his new station at Ft. Bragg, N. C.

Big, Bernard, Governors Is, NY.
Boulduc, Lucien E, Jr, Ft Benning.
Carrell, Robert F, Ft Jackson.
Carroll, Edward F, Ft Dix.
Carroll, James H, Jr, Ft Carson.
Chitty, John H, Jr, West Point.
Crowley, Edward F, Boston.
Day, Stephen A, West Point.
Dielens, August J, Jr, Charleston, SC.
Doppel, Leroy, Minneapolis.
Hayward, Charles W, Meade.
Holcomb, James F, Ft Sill.
Hurt, Clarence M, Ft Devens.
Jones, Murray G, St Louis.
Livingston, Hoyt R, Stillwater, Okla.
Martin, James J, Ft Benning.
Martin, Norman L, Ft Meade.
Mauderly, Allen J, Ft Devens.
Montague, Jack H, Williamsburg, Va.
Moore, Harry L, Ft Benning.
Neal, Harold, Tuskegee, Ala.
Price, Marvin L, Livermore, Calif.
Ray, Charles G, Ft Devens.
Rollier, Robert L, Ft Benning.
Slominski, Martin J, Ft Riley.
Wickham, John A, Jr, West Point.
Wilson, Calvin O, Ft Bliss.
From Wash, DC:
Daoust, George A, Jr, Parker, Brandon L.
Ford, John O, Withey, George L, Jr.
Gillig, Roy W

To USARAL

Lawrence, Thomas E, Atlanta.
Jackson, Harry H, Ft Bragg.
Lowe, William H, Jr, Wayne, Pa.
Blair, Robert C, Ft Lawton.

Captain

Arnett, Marion L, Columbus, O, to 331st Spt Bn, Sukiran, Ryukyus Islands, Okinawa.
Beckner, David A, Norman, Okla, to OCR-&D Army Res Ofc, Arlington Hall Sta, Va.
Henson, Robert J, Ft Benning, to Hawaii.
Ellis, Kenneth L, Jr, Ft Bragg, to 13th US ASA Fld Sta, Harrogate, England.
Quinn, Charles E, Ft Rucker, to USA AD-GRU, Alaska, Juneau, w/sta Bethel, Alaska.

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York, Frank E, Ft Lewis, to USA Elm MAAG Vietnam, Saigon.
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To Stu Det USACGSC, Ft Leavenworth
Abt, Frederick T, Los Angeles.
Adams, Dwight L, Storrs, Conn.
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Allen, Terry De La M, Jr, Colorado Springs.
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Col. Barricklow Succeeds Col. Ingeman At Meade

Col. William R. Barricklow, has succeeded Col. M. J. Ingeman, assigned as Quartermaster of the 1st Logistical Command, Ft. Bragg, N. C., as Post Quartermaster at Ft. Meade, Md.

Colonel Barricklow comes from a tour of duty as QM supply officer and deputy director for warehousing at the Columbus, Ohio, General Depot.

Colonel Barricklow and his wife, Kathryn, have one son, William R., Jr., 17, who attends the Staunton, Va. Military Academy.

Hurley, Robert D, Ft Myer.
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Shannon, Donald J, Providence, RI.
Sharp, Daniel G, West Point.
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Steele, Howard M, Jr, Wash, DC.
Stone, Joel E, Ft Ord.
Thomas, Grace G, Jr, Ft Myer.
Uchima, Unkel, Ft Riley.
Viterna, Robert O, Ft Carson.
Volmer, John P, Ft Hood.
Yerks, Robert G, Dayton, Ohio.
Zollicoffer, Marion B, Starkville, Miss.
White, Ben O, Jr, Durham, NH.
Milam, Ronald H, Heidelberg, Germany.

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McClure, Ardie E, Jr

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Coates, Norman W
Woodring, Jos J, Jr

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O'Brien, John F, Ft Dix.
Travis, Charles E, Jr, Ft Campbell.
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Shaffer, Clarence E, Ft Lewis.
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Pore, Stanley C, Jr
Rhoades, Glen L

2d Lieutenant

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ARMOR—

Colonel

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Major

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Covles, Harper B, Ft Lawton, Wash, to USA Elm JUSMAG, Thailand, Bangkok.
Elliott, Charles B, Jr, Monterey, Calif, to OUSARMA Am Emb, Seoul, Korea.
Grotte, Helmer M, Cp Hanford, Wash, to 97th Arty Gp, Ryukyus Is, Okinawa.

L/C Bates To Greece

Lt. Col. James M. Bates, 18th Artillery Commander at Ft. Lewis, Wash., is under orders to Greece. He expects to arrive in Athens in June after attending school in Washington, D. C.

Army Tells Augmentation Details;
RA Officer Strength Has Reached 89%

THE 16-month program to augment the ranks of Regular Army officers has seen the understrength of the 12 basic branches and the WAC reduced from 6135 to 3710 officers, according to a new Pentagon report.

The following tables summarize the current status of the Army promotion list (plus the WAC and less the JAGC). They show that:

- This portion of the RA is at 89% of the 39,600 authorized strength.
- 49% of the newly augmented officers are in the technical services.
- 72% of the newly augmented officers are within the first five year groups.

Although almost half of the augmented officers have been selected for the Technical Services, most of the existing shortages are in the Corps of Engineers and in the Ordnance and Signal Corps.

Within the combat arms, the Artillery and Infantry have some vacancies in most of the year groups between 1960 and 1947.

A recent change to AR 601-100, "Appointment of Commissioned Officers in the Regular Army," permits a waiver of the one-year waiting period for reapplication for "cogent reasons." The intent of the waiting period is to permit the previously nonselected applicant for RA an interval of time during which he can improve his potential value to the RA by improving his manner of performance of duty, by improving his education, or other means.

REGULAR ARMY

	AT	AR	IN	EN	CM	OD	QM	SC	TC	AG	FI	MP	WC	Total
Auth.	7910	2530	9015	3100	535	2175	1720	2375	1840	690	444	710	600	33,644
Actual	6670	2532	8195	2432	554	1736	1648	1970	1899	799	472	724	303	29,934
Diff.	-1240	+2	-820	-668	+19	-439	-72	-405	+59	+109	+28	+14	-297	-3,710
% of Auth.	84	101	91	78	104	80	96	83	103	116	106	102	51	89

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July 1958-October 1959

	AT	AR	IN	EN	CM	OD	QM	SC	TC	AG	FI	MP	WC	Total
328	92	283	106	92	151	102	231	155	54	41	62	25	1,722	

TECHNICAL SERVICES—837 (49%)

AUGMENTATION BY YEAR GROUP

July 1958-October 1959

	60	59	58	57	56	55	54	53	52	51	50	49 (48-41)	Total
13	181	368	360	180	131	105	78	39	44	29	29	163	1,722
	(1233)	(72%)											

Lt Colonel

Whitaker, Ernest J, Ft Winfield Scott, to Off Stu Det Hq and Hq Co, USALS, Presidio of Monterey.
Wilderman, Jordan J, Wash, DC, to USA Elm Hq ALFD, Copenhagen, Denmark.
Cibotti, Philip R, Chestnut Hill, Mass, to OCUSAROTC, Wash, DC.
Harris, Elva, Wash, DC, to 3d Obsn Bn 26th Arty, Ft Sill.
Seabrook, George W, Charleston, SC, to OACSI USA, Wash, DC.
Bennett, Verde W, Wash, DC, to USA Instr Gp, Wis Det, Univ of Wis, Madison.
Farr, Richard, Ft McPherson, to USA Elm OSD, Wash, DC.
Lewelling, Billy R, Ft Bragg, to USARAL.
Griest, Oliver E, Colorado Springs, Colo, to USA Elm MAAG, Taiwan, Taipei.

To USA Elm MAAG, Vietnam, Saigon

Smith, Chester M, Colorado Springs, Colo.
McFadyen, William B, Monterey, Calif.

To USA Elm SHAPE, Paris, France

Goodman, Paul, Ft Sill.
Magruder, Samuel B, Stillwater, Okla.

To USARCABIB (Panama)

Philbrick, Kenneth R, Orono, Maine.
Remele, Jack H, College Sta, Tex.
Andresen, Carroll W, Wash, DC.

To Germany

Schnebl, George A, Ft Knox.
Waple, Louis A, Ft Collins.

Major

Calcote, Robert M, Ft Bliss, to 7th Arty Gp, Thule, Greenland.
Amos, Harry O, Jr, Monterey, Calif, to OUSARMA Am Emb, Saigon, Vietnam.
Conrad, William E, Ft Meade, to Hq USASA Alaska, Ft Richardson.
Harper, Douglas P, Wash, DC, to USA Elm MAAG Taiwan, Taipei.

To Germany

Hyde, Thomas I, Colorado Springs.
Smith, William M, Monterey.

Captain

Reid, Robert A, Ft Sill, to Off Stu Co USA-INTC, Ft Holabird.
Chamberlain, Walter J, Jr, Ft Monroe, to USA Elm JUSMAG, Thailand, Bangkok.
Owsley, Linton L, Eureka, Pa, to USA AD-GRU Korea, Yongsan.
Aleong, Fletcher A, Ft Meade, to 176th US-ASA Co, Taipei, Taiwan.
Keating, Richard P, Ft Devens, to USA AD-GRU Mass, w/sta 26th Avn Co, Leonminster, Mass.

To Stu Det USACGSC, Ft Leavenworth

Bogle, James A, Ft McPherson.
David, Lawrence P, Beirut, Lebanon.

To USA Elm MAAG, Taiwan, Taipei

Eraden, Robert S, Arlington Heights, Ill.
McClellan, Max D, Cleveland, O.

To Germany

Piccoli, Jacob R, Ft Campbell.
Fitzgerald, Donald E, Ft Bliss.

1st Lieutenant

Morgan, John E, sr, Ft Bliss, to Hq 2d Rgn USARADCOM, Ft Meade, w/sta Robins AFB, Ga.
Closs, William R, Ft Bragg, to USA Elm MAAG, Vietnam, Saigon.

To Korea

Hackney, George E, Ft Riley.
Krueger, Robert F, Ft Riley.

To Germany

Rogers, James R, Ft Lewis.
Vanderbilt, Samuel J, Ft Carson.
Lawson, Charles L, Ft Niagara.
Mullen, Warren B, McChord AFB, Wash.
Shaddock, Carroll W, Jr, Ft Bragg.
Davis, Sidney, Ft Riley.

2d Lieutenant

Nakatsukasa, Libert Y, Ft Hood, to Hawaii.

To Stu Off Co, USAAVNS, Ft Rucker

Agee, Damon W, Jr, Ft Campbell.
Earton, Charles D, Ft Hood.
Boothe, Robert S, Ft Benning.
Boulware, Jefferson T, Jr, Ft Bragg.
Cooper, Russell E, La Canada, Calif.

CORPS OF ENGINEERS—

Lt Gen Emerson C Itchner, C of E

Colonel

Rohde, Otto J, Wash, DC, to Korea.
Bixby, George W, Troy, NY, to USMA, West Point.

Lt Colonel

Donald, Herbert P, Wash, DC, to Germany.
Gates, Mahlon E, Wash, DC, to USA Engr Dist Gulf Mediterranean Div, Teheran, Iran.
Padgett, Wade H, Jr, Savannah, Ga, to Stu Det USACGSC, Ft Leavenworth.

Major

Tarallo, Guerrino J, Ogden, Utah, to USA Elm MAAG, Taiwan, Taipei.
Waggner, John G, Ft Belvoir, to Stu Det Hq Third USA, Ft McPherson, w/sta Air War College, Maxwell AFB.
Kilpatrick, Robert L, Wash, DC, to Korea.

To Stu Det USACGSC, Ft Leavenworth

Carrigan, Mark C, Killen Base, Tex.
Comstock, Keith G, Arlington, Va.
Kackley, Roy L, Jr, Seattle.
Leininger, Daniel M, Ft Monroe.
Oleintine, Charles G, Austin, Tex.
Ferricelli, Vincent J, Jr, Potsdam, NY.
Regn, Elmer M, Ft Sill.
Rogers, Manley E, West Point.
Durham, Howard W, Philadelphia.

Captain

Peters, Raymond, Ft Belvoir, to USA TC Engr, Ft Leonard Wood.

Heins, Milton H, Ft Hood, to USA Engr Dist Trans-East, Mediterranean Div, Karachi, Pakistan.
Rich, Mahlon S, Forest Park, Ga, to France.

To Stu Det USACGSC, Ft Leavenworth

Bunch, James E, Wash, DC.
Kirby, Gilbert W, Jr, West Point.
Lovejoy, Norman B, Boston.
Mangones, Robert J, Boston.
McDonald, Jack E, Wash, DC.
Rhodes, Nolan C, Houghton, Mich.
Starobin, Sam D, Larson AFB, Wash.
Triem, Paul D, Rapid City, SDak.
Walker, James B, Ft Belvoir.

1st Lieutenant

Sugino, Frank T, Ft Belvoir, to Japan Det USA Bcst and Vis Actv, Pad, Asaka.
Rose, Barnes W, Ft Riley, to 809th Engr Bn, Marianas Is, Guam.

2d Lieutenant

Schultz, Roger L, Ft Leonard Wood, to Germany.
Rask, Richard H, Ft Belvoir, to Stu Det USAAVNS, Ft Rucker.

SIGNAL CORPS—

Maj Gen Ralph T Nelson, C Sig O

Colonel

Tittle, Norman L, Wash, DC, to Korea.
Mautz, Matthew C, Wash, DC, to USA Elm Hq Pac Comd, Cp H M Smith, Hawaii.

Lt Colonel

Finney, Philip A, Arlington, Va, to US ASA Sp Proj U, Vint Hill Farms Sta, Warrenton, Va.
Pugh, Thomas A, Ft McPherson, to USA Elm JUSMMAT, Ankara, Turkey.
Peters, Emanuel P, Wash, DC, to TUS-LOG Det 27, APO 254, NY.
Miller, Joseph, Ft Huachuca, to USA Elm Hq AFSE, Naples, Italy.
Samilian, James, Monterey, Calif, to ARMISH/MAAG, Teheran, Iran.
Datres, Eugene B, Redstone Arsenal, to Germany.

Major

Radford, Harold G, Monterey, Calif, to USA Msn to Venezuela, Caracas.
Fall, Dellvon K, Philadelphia, to USA Elm MAAG, Japan, Tokyo.
Kelm, Jack R, Philadelphia, to USA Elm JUSMAG, Thailand, Bangkok.
Howard, G B, Ft Monmouth, to USA Elm Hq Allied Land Forces Norway, Oslo.
Stephens, Willis E, Ft Meade, to France.

To Stu Det USACGSC, Ft Leavenworth

Dolezal, Thomas R, Wash, DC.
Friend, Harold C, West Point.
Gillentine, Luncford P, Atlanta, Ga.
Jachens, Richard C, Arlington, Va.
Jones, Russell B, Jr, Arlington, Va.
Roberts, Stanford, Wash, DC.
Shattuck, Amos B, IV, West Point.
Stilo, Frank G, Ft Knox.

Captain

Cooke, Clarence, Warren, O, to USA Elm MAAG, Vietnam, Saigon.
Dubois, Edward F, Ft Ord, to USA Sig Gp Unit No 23, Karachi, Pakistan.
Bennett, Russell E, Ft Gordon, to Japan.
Huston, Bruce K, Ft Huachuca, to USA Elm MAAG, Vietnam, Saigon.
Wooleyhan, Robert G, Wash, DC, to Hawaii.
Petit, Charles R, Ft Gordon, to Hawaii.
Evans, Arthur B, Ft Campbell, to USA Elm MAAG, Vietnam, Saigon.
Hampson, Russell J, Jr, Ft Worth, to USA ADGRU Korea, Yongsan.
Spencer, Garry R, Ft Benning, to USA Spt Gp for Korean Depn Housing, Yongsan, Korea.

To Stu Det USACGSC, Ft Leavenworth

Gerardo, Alexander H, Northfield, Vt.

From Ft Monmouth:

Kelley, John E
Richardson, W K

To Germany

Johnson, Carl O, Ft Huachuca.
Dameron, Fred, Ft Rucker.
Prael, Robert F, Long Island City, NY.

From Ft Monmouth:

Northrop, Henry H
Park, Ralph R, Jr

1st Lieutenant

Kuhr, Richard E, Teheran, Iran, to Hq USA Comm Agcy, Wash, DC, w/sta Ft Lee.
Lutsch, John W, Redstone Arsenal, Ala, to USA Spt Gp for Korean Depn housing, Yongsan.
Denton, Rodney C, Ft Rucker, to 53d Sig Bn, Ft Hood.
Matthews, Robert A, Ft Huachuca, to USA Elm Hq AFSE, Naples, Italy.
Bauer, Anthony G, Ft Meade, to USA Elm Hq AFSE, Naples, Italy.
Peterson, John A, Ft Hood, to Korea.

To Germany

McGivern, Parlan L, Ft Huachuca.
Stratton, Albert G, Ft Bliss.

2d Lieutenant

McMillan, Marion L, Jr, Ft Riley, to 7th Sig Bn, Louveciennes, France.
Baucom, Donald C (AS), Wash, DC, to US ASA Tng Cen and Sch, Ft Devens.

Dr. Berry Addresses Army Medical Officers



THE army medical service meeting for January 1960 was held at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C. Shown left to right are Edward H. Cushing, M.D., Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense, (Health and Medical) Maj. Gen. Clement F. St. John, MC, CG, Walter Reed GH, Frank B. Berry, M.D., Assistant Secretary of Defense (Health and Medical), Maj. Gen. T. J. Hartford, MC, Deputy Surgeon General, Col. Roy D. Maxwell, MSC, Chief, Medical Service Corps and Brig. Gen. James H. Foresee, MC, Deputy Commander, Walter Reed GH.

MEDICAL NOTES IN THE FORCES:

AF Changes Gunter Branch Designation

The Gunter AFB, Ala. Branch of the School of Aviation Medicine has been redesignated the USAF Medical Service School. Late last year, it was reassigned from Air University to Air Training Command as a part of the USAF Aerospace Medical Center at Brooks AFB, Tex.

The school, established in 1950, conducts all military medical training for officers and airmen except that which is directly related to aviation medicine, and organizes, equips and trains a Medical Disaster Assistance Team.

At present 36 courses are offered—12 for officers, 10 for advanced or super-

visor level technicians, and 14 for apprentice-specialist airmen.

Scheduled output of graduates is approximately 6,700 per year. Through the end of Fiscal Year 1959, over 41,000 students had been trained there.

Maj. Amelia Villamarra, ANC, has received an American National Red Cross Commendation for her contributions to the Red Cross Volunteer Program at Ft. Leavenworth, Kans.

Maj. Harold G. Sandlin has been appointed as Tyndall AFB, Fla., Dental Surgeon. He succeeds Lt. Col. William M. Harley, assigned to the 29th Semi-

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S CORPS—

Maj Gen Robert V Lee, TAG
Colonel

Owen, Glenn B, Moscow, Idaho, to Germany.

Major

Wilkinson, Paul, Killeen Base, Tex, to USA Elm MAAG, Vietnam, Saigon.
Glaab, Lawrence H, Ft Knox, to Hawaii.

Captain

Thomas, Rollin R, Chicago, to USARCIB (Panama).
Thomas, Aubrey L, Jr, Governors Is, to USARPAC.
Cox, Emmett M, Ft McPherson, to USA Elm Hq AFSE, Naples, Italy.
St Pierre, Romeo, Cp Irwin, to Japan.
Durany, John A, Ft Benning, to USA Elm Hq ALFSEE, Izmir, Turkey.
Vogt, John E, Ft Lawton, to 108th Auto Data Proc Cn, Ft Jay.

To Stu Det TAGSUSA, Ft Benjamin Harrison
Johnson, Robert N, Ft Lee.
Satterfield, James R, Cp Wolters.

To Korea

Smith, Robert L, Ft Benjamin Harrison.
Brady, John D, Ft McPherson.

To Germany

Balcombe, Dewey W, Oakland.
Daugherty, Herschel, Ft McPherson.
Younger, Harry L, Ft Myer.
Spangler, Harold W, Jr, Ft Holabird, Md.

To France

Vorick, Albert P, Ft Benjamin Harrison.
Hanson, Richard G, Ft Lewis.

QUARTERMASTER CORPS—

Maj Gen Andrew T McNamara, QMG
Colonel

McGillen, Howard O, Philadelphia, to US Elm MAAG, Germany, Bonn.
Quinn, James F, Schenectady, NY, to Japan.
Wobbekeing, Bernard, Wash, DC, to USA Elm Hq US Forces Japan, Honshu.
Alexander, Joseph P, Jr, Ft Lee, to Stu Det USA Elm NWC, Ft McNair.

Lt Colonel

Johnston, Cloyce H, Arlington, Va, to USA Engr Cn and Ft Belvoir.
Larsen, Bobby B, Philadelphia, to Germany.
Kraus, Robert T, Schenectady, NY, to Korea.

To Stu Det USAWC, Carlisle Bks

Aines, Andrew A, Wash, DC.
Deekle, William C, Jr, Arlington, Va.
Irving, John W, Philadelphia.

To Stu Det USA Elm ICAF, Ft McNair

Ellison, Charles J, Chicago.
Everton, Theme T, Wash, DC.
Leeper, Michael E, Sandia Base, N Mex.

Major

To Stu Det USACGSC, Ft Leavenworth
Halls, Alexander E, Ft Monroe, Va.
Hetzel, Foster G, Jr, Champaign, Ill.
Johnson, Richard A, Wash, DC.

Lynch, Camille L, Natick, Mass.
Milton, Thornton M, Alexandria, Va.
Webb, William H, Ft Lee, Va.

From Wash, DC:

Anderson, Philip C, Bishop, W C, Jr
Captain

Boutin, John A, Niagara, NY, to USA Elm MAAG, Vietnam, Saigon.
Schwarz, Ralph L, Ft Belvoir, to USASE-TAF.

To Stu Det USACGSC, Ft Leavenworth
Chase, Jack P, Ft Monroe.
Clinedinst, Clinton R, Richmond, Va.
Gardner, Bernard J, West Point.
McConaghy, David D, Wash, DC.
Myrick, Stonewall J, Ft Lee, Va.

1st Lieutenant

Gilmore, James H, Ft Dix, to QM Tng Comd USA, Ft Lee.

2d Lieutenant

Talbutt, William S, Ft Lee, to USA Spt Gp for Korea Depn Housing, Yongsan, Korea.
Basmajian, Gregory G, Ft Lee, to USA Gar, Ft Holabird.

FINANCE CORPS—

Maj Gen Paul A Mayo, C of F
Captain

Willis, Oliver T, Ft Benjamin Harrison, to Hq US ASA Pac, Cp Zama, Japan.
Mort, Robert T, Ft Ord, to Germany.

2d Lieutenant

Michel, Harry A, Ft Bragg, to USARAL.

Medical Service Corps—

Col Roy D Maxwell, Chief

Lt Colonel

Smith, Orne D, Ft McPherson, to OTSG USA, Wash, DC.
Walker, Herman A, Ft Belvoir, to Germany.

Major

Warren, Donald H, Ft Dix, to USA Elm MAAG, Taipei, Taiwan.
Douget, Charles, Ft Benning, to Korea.
Skvorak, Michael J, Ft Monmouth, to France.

Captain

Kohutek, Walter W, Carlisle Bks, Pa, to Madigan Gen Hosp, Tacoma.
Monahan, Fergus T, Wash, DC, to Martin AH, Ft Benning.
Hebel, August R, Wash, DC, to 13th Fld Hosp, Ft Belvoir.
Camp, Melvin J, Ft Sam Houston, to 12th US ASA Fld Sta, Chitose, Hokkaido, Japan.
Calhoun, Alistair A, Ft Meade, to USA-AVNS, Ft Rucker.

Stonebraker, Kenneth D, Army Cml Cn, to USA Disp, South Park Mil Res, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Cronin, John F, Denver, to Letterman GH, San Francisco.
Mathias, Robert E, Ft Sam Houston, to USA Elm MAAG, Vietnam, Saigon.

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Automatic Ground Environment Division, Great Falls, Mont. Major Sandlin came to Florida last November from Elmendorf AFB, Alaska.

Col. George J. Kantor has been named Chief of Professional Services with the Fourth Army Medical Section at Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., after service as Deputy Surgeon, and later Surgeon, with the Eighth Army in Korea.

With his wife, Anne, and children, Denise, 10, Mark, 6, and Daniel, 2, Colonel Kantor lives at 15 Staff Post Rd., Ft. Sam Houston.

Lt. Col. Doyle E. Burns, is the new Post Dental Surgeon at Ft. Wadsworth, Staten Island, N. Y., succeeding Lt. Col. Allen A. Greines, USA-Ret. Colonel Burns had been Staff Dental Surgeon of the 2d Logistical Command at Ft. Polk, La. He and his wife, Mrs. Betty Jean Burns, and their children, David, 6, and Vanessa, 3, reside at Quarters 2B, Ft. Wadsworth.

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Rear Admiral C. W. Schantz, DC, USN, Assistant Chief of the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery (Dentistry), and Chief, Dental Division, has been appointed General Chairman of the Arrangements Committee for the next meeting of the Association of Military Surgeons to be held in November.

The Surgeon General of the Navy, RADM. Bartholomew W. Hogan, will convene a conference with certain senior Navy medical officers 3, 4, and 5 February at the National Naval Medical Center, Bethesda, Md. Presiding will be RADM. Edward C. Kenney, MC, USN, Deputy and Assistant Chief of the Bureau. The conference has been organized for the purpose of discussing changes in the Medicare Program.

Capt. John S. Hanten, MC, USN, is the Senior Medical Officer of the Station Hospital at Naval Support Activities, Naples, Italy.

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Wilson, Marshall O, Ft McPherson, to USA ADGRU Korea, Yongsan.
Gregory, Charles W, Aberdeen Pr Gr, to USA Elm JUSMAG, Thailand, Bangkok.

To Germany

Ruslewicz, Lawrence L, Ft Meade.
Welton, George C, Minneapolis.

To France

Campbell, Edwin C, Ft Sam Houston.
McCauley, James E, Ft Belvoir.

1st Lieutenant

O'Heren, Richard A, Tacoma, to USAH, Carlisle Bks, Pa.

To Korea

Wik, David W, Ft Meade.
Johnson, David E, Ft Carson.

Veterinary Corps—

Brig Gen Russell McNellis, Chief
Lt Colonel

Rubin, Harvey L, Chicago, to USA Med Rsch & Dev Comd, WRAIR, WRAMC, Wash, DC.
Monroe, Floyd E, Ft Hood, to QM Food & Container Inst for the Armed Forces, Chicago.

Major

Upham, Roy W, Cambridge, Mass, to First USA Med Lab, New York.
Cooper, Irven R, jr, Columbia, SC, to Stu Det AMSS, Ft Sam Houston.
Farmer, Garland R, Las Vegas, Nev, to Stu Det CGSC USA, Ft Leavenworth.

Army Medical Specialist Corps—

Col Ruth A Robinson, Chief
Captain

Pabst, Marjorie A, Ft Meade, to USAH, Ft Eustis.
Gleim, Edna A, Ft Sam Houston, to Tripler AH, USARPAC, Oahu, Hawaii.
Hamill, Janet A, El Paso, to Letterman GH, San Francisco.

1st Lieutenant

Paladina, Lena, Ft Bragg, to BAMC, Ft Sam Houston.

2d Lieutenant

Meyer, Georgia J, Denver, to Womack AH, Ft Bragg.

Army Nurse Corps—

Col Margaret Harper, Chief
Lt Colonel

Bennett, Anna R, Ft Lee, to BAMC, Ft Sam Houston.

Major

Beagle, Nadine N, Ft Lawton, to Tripler AH, USARPAC, Oahu, Hawaii.
Hawkins, Dale A, Wash, DC, to USAH, Ft Huachuca.

Worley, Bernice, Ft Campbell, to USAH, Ft MacArthur.

Menold, Mary V, Ft Campbell, to USASE-TAF.

Hendricks, Lauretta L, Ft Knox, to Tripler AH, USARPAC, Oahu, TH.

Captain

Gerster, Dorothy C, Ft Lee, to WRAMC, Wash, DC.

Krekel, Dorothy J R, Wash, DC, to USAH, Cp Hanford.

Montgomery, Roena, Denver, to USAH, Ft Campbell.

O'Brien, Mary R, Tacoma, to USAH, Ft Lawton.

Young, Helen J, Ft Belvoir, to USA Gar, USA Ord Msl Comd, Redstone Arsenal, Ala.

Sheppard, Elaine C, Ft Sam Houston, to Japan.

Reber, Dorothy F, Ft Knox, to Korea.

Royal, Eunice, Ft Benning, to France.

Lane, Helen C, El Paso, Tex, to Germany.

To Tripler AH, USARPAC, Oahu, Hawaii

Bandy, Adele M, El Paso.

Gipson, Marguerite L, San Francisco.

Spiller, Eleanor V, Ft Dix.

1st Lieutenant

Hensley, Maurice H, Ft Bragg, to USAH, Ft Lee.

Bradshaw, Hershaw W, Ft Benning, to USAH, Ft Stewart.

2d Lieutenant

Moore, Patricia L, El Paso, Tex, to Tripler AH, USARPAC, Oahu, Hawaii.

Foster, Jeanne A, Phoenixville, to Germany.

ORDNANCE CORPS—

Lt Gen John H Hinrichs, C of Ord
Colonel

To Stu Det USA Elm, ICAF, Ft McNair, DC

Donley, Edwin I, Wash, DC.

Drewry, Ivey O, jr, Wash, DC.

Heath, Calvin A, Redstone Arsenal, Ala.

Prosser, Charles M, jr, Detroit, Mich.

Redmon, John G, White Sands Msl Rg, NMex.

Soviet Rank-Base Pay Structure

THERE are six enlisted ranks in the Soviet Armed Forces, no warrant officer ranks, and seven officer ranks up to and including the U. S. equivalent of colonel-captain.

In general and flag officer ranks, there is no exact correspondence with U. S. officers, although some approximations can be made.

A U. S. brigadier general or rear admiral would be the equivalent of a Russian Army or Air Force General Mayor and a Navy Kontr-Admiral, who are reported to receive a base pay of approximately 1,600 rubles a month.

U. S. major generals and rear admirals upper half are held equivalent to a Soviet General Leytenant or Vitse-Admiral, whose monthly base pay is reported at 1,900 rubles.

The equivalent of an American lieutenant general is the Russian Colonel General and Admiral, whose base pay is reported to be 2,200 rubles a month.

There is no four star rank in the Russian Navy, although U. S. Naval sources report that some Soviet Navy officers bear Army-style four star rank. Soviet officers in Washington say this is not so.

The Soviet equivalent of a U. S. four-star officer is a General Armi for the Army and Marshal of the Air Force for the Air Force. Four-star base pay in the U.S.S.R. is reported at between 2,500 and 3,000 rubles a month.

Between four-star and five-star equivalents in the Soviet Army and Air Force, there occur a number of marshal ranks, including Chief Marshal of the Air Force and Army Marshals of Artillery, Armored, etc. No Soviet Navy ranks fit into this category.

Soviet equivalents of U. S. five-star officers wear only one large star plus a replica of the Soviet Coat of Arms. These are the Marshals of the Soviet Union and Admirals of the Fleet (Admiral Flota).

The pay of Soviet officers above four-star rank is unreported.

Corresponding U. S.-Soviet ranks and reported Soviet base pay schedules are detailed herewith.

ENLISTED

			Reported Monthly Base Pay in Rubles		
U.S.	U.S.S.R.		1st and 2d Year	3d Year	Reen- listee
Pvt.	Ryadovoy	Matross	30	50	
PFC	Yefreytor	Starshy Matross	40	70	300
Cpl.	Mladshy Serzhant	Starshina 2 Statyi	60	120	400
Sgt.	Serzhant	Starshina 1 Statyi	75	150	500
SFC	Starshy Serzhant	Glavnyi Starshina	100	200	600
M/Sgt.	Starshina	Michman	150	300	700

OFFICER

U.S.S.R.			Reported Monthly Base Pay in Rubles
U.S.	Army-AF	Navy	
2d Lt.	Mladshiy Leytenant	Leytenant	400
1st Lt.	Starshiy Leytenant		600
Capt.	Kapitan	Kapitan Leytenant	700
Maj.	Mayor	Kapitan 3 Ranga	900
Lt. Col.	Podpolkovnik	Kapitan 2 Ranga	1,100
Col.	Polkovnik	Kapitan 1 Ranga	1,300

Lt Colonel

Dobler, George D, Redstone Arsenal, Ala, to Germany.

Clark, Melvin D, Livermore, Calif, to Stu Det Hq Third USA, Ft McPherson, w/sta Air WC, Maxwell AFB, Ala.

Kuss, William G, jr, Wash, DC, to Stu Det Hq Second USA, Ft Meade.

To Stu Det USAWC, Carlisle Bks

Dooley, Edward M, Redstone Arsenal, Ala.

O'Hea, John T, Wash, DC.

Pardue, Norman C, St Louis, Mo.

Major

Walnes, Robert U, Aberdeen Pr Gr, to France.

Chaplin, William H, Ft Churchill, Canada, to USA ADGRU, SC, Columbia.

Captain

Gaylord, Morris L, Arlington, Va, to Hq US ASA Alaska, Anchorage.

Voystock, John F, jr, Philadelphia, to USA Elm JUSMAG, Thailand, Bangkok.

Dearing, John W, Ft Hood, to USA Elm JUSMMAT, Ankara, Turkey.

Brooks, William A, Redstone Arsenal, Ala, to France.

McGregor, Rob B, Monterey, Calif, to USA Ord Tk Augmv Comd, Detroit.

Hutcheson, Charles B, Aberdeen Pr Gr, to Korea.

Newton, William A, Philadelphia, to Germany.

1st Lieutenant

Lethcoe, Dale L, Ft Sill, to 51st Ord Co, Thule, Greenland.

Bailey, Charles R, Schenectady, to France.

To Korea

Martin, Kenneth M, Aberdeen Pr Gr.

Ferguson, Lawrence L, Herlong, Calif.

To Germany

Kyle, Norman R, Ft Bragg.

Benson, William L, jr, Cleveland, O.

2d Lieutenant

Watts, John P, Ft Carson, to France.

Roach, Robert M, Ft Benning, to USA Ord Test Actv Yuma Test Sta, Yuma, Ariz.

Steakley, David L, Redstone, Ala, to Germany.

Timbes, James H, Aberdeen Pr Gr, to Korea.

CHEMICAL CORPS—

Maj Gen Marshall Stubbs, C Cml O
Colonel

Merrill, Claude J, Wash, DC, to USA Elm Hq UNC/USK, Seoul, Korea.

2d Lieutenant

Saccane, Gerald J, Ft McClellan, to USATC, Ft Jackson.

CHAPLAINS CORPS—

Maj Gen Frank A Tobey, C of C
Major

Holmes, Peter N, Denver, to Guam.

Betzold, John W, Ft Slocum, to France.

Captain

McCarthy, Thomas H, Ft Dix, to Okinawa.

1st Lieutenant

Magalee, John E, Ft Knox, to Hawaii.

To Germany

Essrog, Seymour L, Ft Eustis.

Foster, Robert A, Ft Benning.

Hoogland, John J, Ft Leonard Wood.

Liss, Norman, Ft Knox.

TRANSPORTATION CORPS—

Maj Gen Frank S Besson, jr, C of T
Colonel

Tennant, Richard S, Wash, DC, to USA ADGRU, Korea, Yongsan.

Lt Colonel

Brown, John M, jr, New Orleans, to USA ADGRU, Korea, Yongsan.

Harkness, Lawrence R, Norfolk, Va, to France.

Wilkey, Robert W, Ft Eustis, to USA Elm Hq Iceland Def Force, Keflavik.

Hubbard, Frank G, Wash, DC, to USAAVNS, Ft Rucker.

To Stu Det USAWC, Carlisle Bks

Dettmar, Henry G, Ft Lewis.

Lindsey, Morris L, Wash, DC.

Shea, Gerald H, Ft Rucker.

Tooley, Jack W, Ft Story.

Major

Miller, Robert A, Ft Eustis, to USA Elm MAAG, Vietnam, Saigon.

Schlotterbeck, Walter B, Ft Eustis, to Stu Det Hq Third USA, Ft McPherson, w/sta Comd & Staff Sch Air Univ, Maxwell AFB, Ala.

Vandyke, John M, Ft Jackson, to USA ADGRU Korea, Yongsan.

Dorsey, Ralph M, Wash, DC, to OUSARMA, Am Emb, Stockholm, Sweden.

Langston, Alex T, jr, Wash, DC, to Stu Det USAWC, Carlisle Bks.

Captain

Witko, Andrew B, Ft Eustis, to Stu Det US-ACGSC, Ft Leavenworth.

Harbuck, Robert L, Ft Rucker, to Stu Det USATSCH, Ft Eustis.

Holdcroft, George T, Minneapolis, to USA Prim Hl Sch, Cp Wolters.

To France

Sweet, Russell M, Eugene, Oreg.

O'Neil, Joseph B, Ft Eustis.

1st Lieutenant

Fentress, Harry B, Ft Eustis, to USAAVNS, Ft Rucker.

Dunn, Jack A, Ft Eustis, to Stu Det Hq Third USA, Ft McPherson, w/sta Univ of Tennessee, Knoxville.

To USA Gar, Ft Lewis

From Ft Eustis:
Brunvand, Tor A Johnson, Theodore W

MILITARY POLICE CORPS—

Maj Gen Haydon L Boatner, PMG
Colonel

Coffman, George W, jr, Ft William, Me, to Okinawa.

Captain

Hall, Alvin O, Ft Gordon, to 101st Abn, Ft Campbell.

Lobodinski, Stanley J, Ft Gordon, to Det 14 USA Instr Gp, Calif, w/sta San Jose State College, San Jose, Calif.

Duarte, Anthony, Benicia, Calif, to USAR-CARIB (Panama).

Anderson, Robert N, Ft Gordon, to Korea.

Johnson, Vernon D, Ft Gordon, to USA DB, Ft Leavenworth.

To Germany

Miller, James C, Ft Bragg.

Hulley, Robert N, Ft Gordon.

Kirtley, Charles E, Cml Cen, Md.

Turner, Frank D, jr, Ft Gordon.

Burket, Chalmer O, Brooklyn, NY.

To France

Larsen, John W, Ft Benning.

Gallagher, Charles P, Ft Gordon.

1st Lieutenant

Barker, James R, Ft Gordon, to Hawaii.

WOMEN'S ARMY CORPS—

Col Mary L Milligan, Director
Captain

Harbaugh, Helen H, Ft Ritchie, Md, to Korea.

1st Lieutenant

Barnwell, Shireley M, Ft McClellan, to Jt Comm Agcy, Ft Ritchie.

2d Lieutenant

Hamm, Julia A, Ft McClellan, to WAC Btry USAAMC, Ft Sill.

Sorg, Joan P, Ft McClellan, to USATTC, Ft Eustis.

Blair, John C, Ft Jackson, to Korea.

McCarthy, Richard J, Ft Benning, to Germany.

To USARCARIB, (Panama)

Trummer, Virgil F, San Francisco.

Witmer, David R, Ft Knox.

2d Lieutenant

To Germany

Bock, John E, Ft Sheridan.

Carlson, James A, Ft Huachuca.

Silvinsky, Joseph J, Ft Monmouth.

Stockwell, Roger, Sandia Base, NMex.

Tapia-Suarez, Armando, Ft Rucker.

Tate, James W, Huntsville, Ala.

Toporek, Edward, Ft Gordon.

CHIEF WARRANT OFFICERS—

McGlynn, W-2 Wash, DC, to SETAF.

Ouellette, W-4 Charles E, jr, Wash, DC, to Paris, France.

Ebert, Ralph L, Ft Ord, to USA Arctic Test Bd, Ft Greely, Alaska.

Boistad, Harold J, Ft Bliss, to USARCARIB (Panama).

Moore, Edmond B, Ft Lewis, to USA Elm MAAG, Taiwan, Taipei.

Lucas, Astor C, jr, Ft Sam Houston, to USA Elm Hq Pac Comd, Cp H M Smith, Hawaii.

Keller, Percy A, Ft Bliss, to USA Elm MAAG, Vietnam, Saigon.

Henson, Jack B, Army Cml Cen, to Stu Det USA Med Optical & Maint Actv, St Louis, Mo.

Wyatt, Leonard N, jr, Wash, DC, to USA Elm Hq SHAPE, Paris, France.

Boyle, Robert W, Ft Carson, to USA Elm JUSMAG, Thailand, Bangkok.

Parrett, Clarence J, Wash, DC, to USA Elm MAAG, Taiwan, Taipei.

Looney, Ennis M, Ft Bliss, to Hq 4th USARADCOM, Kansas City, w/dy sta Bergstrom AFB, Tex.

Top Army Missile Commanders Discuss Plans



Lt. Gen. Charles E. Hart (center), CG of the Army Air Defense Command, is shown with principal conferees during a meeting of the nation's top Army air defense commanders in Colorado Springs. The group discussed operational readiness and plans for the nationwide Army force of Nike missile units deployed in the defense of key cities and bases against air attack as the Army contribution to the North American Air Defense Command. Left to right, in this photo, posed outside a rooftop entrance to NORAD Headquarters at Ent AFB, Colo., are Col. Charles H. Blumenfeld, CofS, 6th Region, Ft. Baker, Calif., who attended in the place of Maj. Gen. Edward J. McGaw, CG of 6th Region; Maj. Gen. Garrison B. Coverdale, CG, 5th Region, Ft. Sheridan, Ill.; Maj. Gen. Robert W. Berry, CG, 1st Region, Ft. Totten, N. Y.; General Hart; Maj. Gen. Robert H. Booth, CG, 2d Region, Ft. Meade, Md.; Maj. Gen. Parmer W. Edwards, Deputy CG, USARADCOM, Colorado Springs; and Col. Walter F. Ellis, 4th Region, Kansas City, Mo. General McGaw missed the conference as a result of flu.

Coxe, W-2 Dwight E. Ord C.
Mellus, W-2 Robert C. Arty.
Burke, W-3 Jacob R. Ord C. as Lt Col.
Desjardins, W-3 Wilfred A. Ord C.
Barnwell, W-2 Randall J. QMC.
Romero, W-3 Victor M. QMC.

Warrant Officer

Stover, Robert F. Arty.

OFFICERS TO TEMP DISAB RET LIST

Williams, Lt Col Arthur V. Inf. (60%) as Col.
Moushegian, Lt Col Richard, Inf (70%).
Shaw, Maj John C. jr, Inf (50%).
Blackledge, Maj Glenn R. disch as Maj.
Satterlee, Maj Irl G. disch as Maj.
DuCange, Capt Edwin J. disch as M/Sgt.
Michalowski, Capt Heliodor A. disch as M/Sgt.
Roeningk, Capt John A. disch as M/Sgt.
Wilson, CWO-2 Perry J. Ord C (60%).

RESIGNED

Hemann, Maj James E. Ch C.
Crowley, Capt Francis L. jr, JAGC.

PROMOTED IN RA

To Lt Colonel
W/DR 1960
15 Jan: Birch, Thomas H. JAGC.
16 Jan: Clark, John B. Inf; Worrell, Raleigh O. Arty; Weeks, Robert A. DC.
18 Jan: Evans, Murray F. MSC.
To Major
W/DR 1960
15 Jan: Emerson, John E. jr, Inf.
16 Jan: Torp, Mary J. AMSC; West, Robert H. DC.
17 Jan: Hanna, Nathaniel P. FC.
20 Jan: Dempster, Robert N. Sig C.
To Captain
W/DR 1960
14 Jan: Johnson, Harold R. jr, Inf.
16 Jan: Allebach, Victor L. Inf; Riley, Clemens A. Armor.
17 Jan: Griffin, Gullford W. FC.
19 Jan: Murphy, Donald G. Arty.

To 1st Lieutenant

W/DR 1960
16 Jan: Duhon, Ben E. AGC; McConkey, Rodney F. Inf.
17 Jan: Kircher, Jacob F. Arty.
18 Jan: Barber, James J. Inf; Stowe, Charles L. MSC.
19 Jan: Honsinger, Larry E. Arty.

RA PROMOTIONS CONFIRMED

To Major
Becraft, C W. Arty
Dover, D C. Arty
Eneboe, E S. Arm
Erlenkotter, D. Arty
Haley, R L. Arty
Kramer, W W. JAGC
Musser, R H. Inf
Rice, H R. OrdC

Army Advances 15 To Lt. Colonel

The Army has advanced 15 majors to temporary lieutenant colonel in Special Orders No. 17, effective 26 January.

Those promoted include officers through Sequence No. 579, D/A Circular 624-47, dated 9 March 1959.

Adams, C G. QMC
Anderson, J W. jr, Inf
Doran, Edw A. SigC
Griess, Thos E. CE
Hand, Clifton E. Inf
Heltzel, Chas L. Arty
Huddleston, J M. Arm
Juraschek, D P. Arm
Martin, W R. SigC
Moses, J G. jr, SigC
Pavick, Pete D. Arty
Pritchett, H H. jr, Inf
Rice, Richard F. CE
Sanders, Roy A. CE
Jasinski, B M. Inf

Baker, Frank C. Redstone Arsenal, Ala, to 10th SAM Det, Ft Bliss, w/sta Walker AFB, N Mex.
McConnell, David B. Redstone Arsenal, Ala, to 3d Sam Det, Ft Hood.
Weiser, George. Redstone Arsenal, Ala, to 2d SAM Det, Ft Hood.
Hults, Sydney E. Warrenton, Va, to Hq USASA Europe, Frankfurt, Germany.
Marion, Thomas F. Ft Meade, to France.
Mauk, Roy N. Ft Worth, to USARAL.

To Korea

Bertugli, Rudolph, Aberdeen Pr Gr, Md.
Campbell, Charles M. Ft Gordon.
Marrone, Felix E. Ft Bragg.
McGarvey, Joseph A. Cp Hanford, Wash.
Combs, Charlie A. jr, Ft Carson.
Moody, John M. Ft Lewis.
Snodgrass, John M. San Francisco.
Neal, Robert W. Ft Ord.
Van Meter, Donald S. Ft Sam Houston.
Rorabaugh, John R. Ft Hood.
Rundle, Edward P. Ft Hood.
Dorton, James H. Ft Rucker.
Klein, Clarence W. Ft Hood.

To Germany

King, W-3 Robert W. Ft Benjamin Harrison.
Fair, Cecil G. Ft Benning.
Murray, Edwin F. Ft Bragg.
Newton, William T. Ft Hood.
McCarron, William E. Ft Carson.
Hollifield, Elmer J. Ft Benning.
Southall, Thomas W. Wash, DC.
Huc Harry J. Wash, DC.
Marks, Harold E. Ft Riley.
Moulton, Harold A. Ft Bliss.
Tew, Farrell E. Ft Bliss.

RETIRED

Colonel

Bowsky, Merle C. Sig C.
Nichols, Stephen L. Arty.
Keeney, Paul A. pd (60%) fr temp disab ret list.
Gambrell, Robert E. AGC, pd (60%).

Lt Colonel

Derrickson, William B. jr, TC.
Lang, Walter P. pd (40%) fr temp disab ret list (mil orders corrected).

Captain

Loehde, Grace C. pd (50%) Mil records corrected.
McClamma, Loyal, pd (50%) fr temp disab ret list.
Beatty, Vivian B. pd (60%) fr temp disab ret list.

Retired Upon Application

Colonel

Smith, Philip E. Inf.
Jones, Charles H. jr, Inf.
Geiser, John E. Inf.
Christensen, Arthur G. Inf.
Dana, Richard A. Inf.

Lt Colonel

Stulting, Harry W. Ord C.
Longo, John M. QMC.
Benton, Deward E. FC.
Ascoli, Lawrence, QMC, as Col.
Beam, Burton T. Arty.
Brashear, Goldman T. MPC.
Lane, John A. Armor.
Gilmore, Joseph D. Arty.
Heath, Raymond A. TC.
Milam, Robert M. Arty.
Tepe, Paul L. Inf.
Holton, Archie D. jr, Inf, as Col.
Bolling, Victor L. Arty.
Gray, Ernest R. jr, as Col.
Jacks, Herman R. Sig C.

Major

Lenz, Adeline H. ANC.
Duvall, Charles T. Sig C.
Ryskus, Eugene J. Sig C.
Blinder, Samuel H. Inf, as Lt Col.
Johnson, Charles W. CE.
Williams, Bernard E. AS.
Byrg, Del Monte F. Arty.
Leverdure, Louis A. QMC.
Allen, Jimmie C. Sig C, as Lt Col.
Blackford, Joe F. QMC.
Lundy, Irvin M. Sig C.
Adams, Lloyd H. Arty.
Herrick, Robert N. TC, as Lt Col.
Rose, Clifford E. Sig C.
Dumas, Mamie, ANC.

Captain

Morris, George R. Inf.
Miller, Taft, Sig C, as Maj.
Boyer, Mansel O. Inf.
Morgan, George W. Inf.
Lipich, Joseph, QMC, as Maj.
Meizler, Frank, Inf.
Freitas, Edward W. MSC.
Adams, John J. Armor.
Dooley, Leonard, Sig C, as Maj.

Chief Warrant Officer

Jackson, W-3 Rex H. AGC.
Kerstein, W-3 Chester C. AGC.
Miller, W-3 Daniel, AGC.
Vanzant, W-4 Herbert, MPC, as Lt Col.
Arledge, W-3 Elzey J. QMC.
Bishop, W-2 Alvin L. AGC.
Rivers, W-3 Maynard R. MSC.
McLelland, W-3 William S. jr, AGC.
Covatos, W-4 Constantine, AGC, as Maj.
Baker, W-2 Robert L. CE.
Roberts, W-3 Fred E. QMC.
Reese, W-3 William F. Ord C.
Rarick, W-3 Wilmer E. CE.

TEMPORARY PROMOTIONS

To Colonel

Davenport, William W. AGC; Eckols, Truman D. Inf; Flischer, Ernest W. CE; McDaniel, Lloyd L. MPC; Minor, Floyd E. Inf; Shaul, Rex K. CE; Williams, Timothy C. jr, Cml C.

To Major

Akin, Karl E; Bennett, Paul M. Inf; Blair, Thomas G. CE; Brader, Loran J; Ord C; Brown, Benjamin F. AI; Bruckner, Max D. CE; Cecka, James T. Inf; Davidson, Kenneth E. Arm; Fields, Joe E. Arm; Fleischman, Gordon K. TC; Foss, Romalme S. Arty; Goche, Leo N. Arty; Himmelmann, Richard T. TC; Hinojosa, Ernest A. jr, TC; Lukens, James R. TC; Martin, George E. TC.

McCoy, James M. AGC; Riddlehoover, Edward M. Ord C; Rooks, David L. Inf; Sampson, Samuel F. Arty; Schoen, Harry P. jr, Arty; Sullivan, Walter A. TC; Thibault, Raymond E. Arty; Throntvelt, Carl P. Arty; Whitesel, William M. Inf; York, Frank E. Inf.

To Captain

Beltman, Laurence J. JAGC; Blanchard, James C. ChC; Blume, Robert M. MSC; Causey, Calvin G. ChC; Cockman, Elijah A. ChC; Currie, Charles C. ChC; Fay, Leo V. ChC; Foley, Louis A. ChC; Garwood, Douglas H. ChC; Katayama, Robert N. JAGC; Kriete, Charles F. ChC; Leary, James F. jr, ChC; McCloskey, Robert L. JAGC; Mueller, Edward M. jr, ChC; Russo, Nico-demus A. ChC; Shadeg, Thomas P. ChC.

To 1st Lieutenant

Furry, Robert R. Armor; Perry, Richard A. Armor.

To CWO-4

Heath, Albert, AGC; Wester, Russell N. Sig C.

To CWO-3

Bloom, George F. Ord C; Burns, Earle F. AGC; McSpadden, Phillip P. AGC; Scollard, Lloyd T. AGC; Swift, Howell A. CE; Wilson, Ernest, jr, AGC; Winicky, Howard W. Sig C; Parima, Alex, QMC.

APPOINTED IN RA

2d Lieutenant

Cavoli, Ivo J. Arty.

TRANSFERS

From RA to USAF

Britt, 1st Lt Henry M (Inf).

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ACTION AHEAD AT THE CAPITOL

The Armed Services and Appropriations Committees of the House and Senate are off to a flying start on matters related to National Defense in this vital election year session.

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SERVICE FAMILY NOTES

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Gray Ladies Capped At Ft. Sill



EIGHT Gray Ladies received their caps in a ceremony at Ft. Sill, Okla. The Ladies, who will be assigned to the U. S. Army Hospital at Ft. Sill, were capped by Mrs. Verdi B. Barnes, wife of the Commanding General. Seven of the eight graduates are, from left to right (front row) Laura DeArmond, Ira B. Jillson, and Rubey-Lee Weyer. (Second row) Marjorie Dunning, Muriel F. Brown, Melita T. Elmore and Barbara Oakley. Not pictured is Mrs. Commie Lee Stedham.

Mrs. Stonecliffe Heads Famed Service Club

The Soldiers', Sailors', Marines' and Airmen's Club held its Open Meeting and annual election of officers 28 January at the Club House, 1015 L St., N.W., Washington.

A check was presented to the Club by

Mrs. McCaul Presents Plaque To Club



MRS. Dudley D. Hale, President of the Soldiers, Sailors, Marines and Airmen's Club, (left) accepts the Marine Plaque from Mrs. Verne McCaul, a gift from her husband, Lieutenant General McCaul, USMC-Ret., and herself, and signed by General Randolph McC. Pate, USMC-Ret., which will be hung in the Marine Room of the Club.

Gray Ladies Honored At Ft. Lee Ceremony

Twelve Gray Ladies in the Ft. Lee, Va., Red Cross volunteer service have received their caps.

They were capped by Lt. Col. Regina A. Bennett, Chief of Nursing Service at the Lee Army Hospital. Certificates and pins marking completion of a training course were presented by Mrs. Alfred B. Denniston, wife of the Commanding General, and Mrs. Roy L. Linder, Chairman of Volunteers.

Those capped were: Mesdames Lewis A. Boggs, Arthur J. Buechler, Lloyd W. Chamberlin, Edwin A. Doss, James C. Hardee, Robert N. Johnson, Garrett C. Maney, Lester W. Mueller, Albert Nemetz, Robert J. Ortel and E. Thomas Root, and Miss Eleanor Eichelberger.

Mrs. E. Farrand and Mrs. D. W. Traub from the Thrift Shop of the Ft. Myer, Va., Women's Club for two beds, one dedicated to the memory of Brig. Gen. George S. Eyster, USA-Ret. (USMA '17), and the other in memory of S/Sgt. John F. Robinson, USA, member of the famous Army Band. Mrs. Eyster and Mrs. Robinson were guests at the presentation.

Officers elected for the coming year were: President, Mrs. D. W. Stonecliffe; 1st Vice President, Mrs. J. H. Hirshfield; 2d Vice President, Mrs. Mark McClure; 3d Vice President, Mrs. Calvin Galloway; 4th Vice President, Mrs. T. H. Landon; Secretary, Mrs. G. F. Schumacher; Asst. Secretary, Mrs. Roscoe C. Wilson; Treasurer, Mrs. Herman O. Lane; Asst. Treasurer, Mrs. Malcolm A. Moore, and Membership and Asst. Membership Secretary-Treasurers, Mrs. H. M. Briggs and Mrs. William M. Collins. Executive Board Members include Mesdames P. W. Caraway, F. S. Rittgers, J. C. Oakes, J. B. Murphy, W. D. Chandler, F. Virden, J. H. Wellings, R. E. Wilson, J. C. Gerhart, C. E. LeMay, R. F. Worden, H. C. Donnelly, J. M. Platt, P. W. John and W. C. Capron, representing every branch of the Service.

AF Chaplain Chief Tells Chapel Policy

The Chief of Air Force Chaplains has outlined a new policy standardizing the names of men's, women's and youth organizations in the Protestant Chapel Program.

Henceforth, all of their organizations already existing and those to be organized in the future throughout the Air Force will be known as "Protestant Men of the Chapel," "Protestant Women of the Chapel," or "Protestant Youth of the Chapel."

WAC Capt. Mary Bauer Leaves Ft. Lewis Duty

The only WAC at Ft. Lewis, Wash., Capt. Mary S. Bauer, has decided that an approaching family comes before a military career.

Captain Bauer had been Finance Officer of the Army Personnel Center there.

Her husband, Capt. Eugene Bauer, is senior aide to Maj. Gen. Louis W. Truman, 4th Infantry Division and Lewis CG.

The Bauers are expecting their first child early this summer.

Service Weddings and Engagements

CHAPLAIN (Maj. Gen., USA) and Mrs. Frank Alden Tobey of Arlington, Va., announce the engagement of their daughter, Marcia Louise, to Capt. Richard B. Wareing, USAF, son of Chaplain (Col., USA-Ret) and Mrs. Joel M. Wareing of Washington, D. C.

Miss Tobey, whose father is Army Chief of Chaplains, attended St. Mary's Hall, San Antonio, and will receive a B. A. degree in History and Political Science from Agnes Scott College in June. Her fiancé, who attended Howe Military Academy in Indiana, and George Washington University, is currently attending the Squadron Officer Course at Maxwell AFB, Ala., while assigned to Andrews AFB, D. C.



Miss Tobey

VINCENT-SIMPSON — General (USA-Ret.) and Mrs. William Hood Simpson of 258 Brightwood Pl., San Antonio, Tex., announce the engagement of their daughter, Ruth Jean, to Lt. Jerome S. Vincent, USA, son of Col. (USA-Ret.) and Mrs. John S. Vincent, also of San Antonio.

Miss Simpson, who was the 25th Anniversary Queen of the 1958 International Black and White Ball, is a student at the Incarnate Word College, San Antonio, having prepared at the Incarnate Word High School. Her fiancé, who was wounded in combat in the Korean campaign, is a graduate of the University of Wyoming, where he was a member of the Sigma Chi fraternity. Commissioned in the Ordnance Corps, he is currently stationed at Ft. Churchill, Canada.

An April wedding is planned, to take place in San Antonio.

RUSSELL-TAYLOR — Mrs. Thelma Taylor of Arlington, Va., widow of Col. Thomas F. Taylor, (USMA '29), and Col. Richard E. Russell, USA-Ret, (USMA '23), were married 25 January at the Washington Memorial Chapel, Valley Forge, Pa.

Colonel Russell is associated with the National Malleables and Steel Castings Co., Cleveland, Ohio, and the Dodge Steel Co., Philadelphia, now producing container handling and railroad piggy-back equipment devised by him.

Colonel and Mrs. Russell, following a European trip, will be at home at 699 General Knox Rd., Wayne, Pa.

MCCARTHY-WHITE — Lt. Col. (USAF-Ret) and Mrs. Floyd W. White of 214 Nanette St., Redlands, Calif., announce the engagement of their daughter, Lucille Berenice, to Lt. Thomas W. McCarthy, USA, son of Col. (USA-Ret) and Mrs. Charles W. McCarthy of Washington, D. C.

The bride-to-be attended Mary Washington College of the University of Virginia at Fredericksburg, and was graduated from Mary's Help College of Nursing, San Francisco. She is presently employed by the U. S. Army 11th Field Hospital in Germany. Lieutenant McCarthy, USMA '55, is now stationed at Augsburg, Germany, but will soon be sent to the East Coast, where a Spring wedding is planned.

WOODY-DEWEY — Dr. and Mrs. George Dewey of Washington, D. C., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Dana, to Capt. Joe Harris Woody, MC, USA, now in Korea, son of Mrs. Mundie Eugene Woody, Bessemer City, N. C., and the late Mr. Woody.

Miss Dewey is an alumna of the Sidwell Friends School and the University of Chattanooga and studied at Sweet Briar College. Her fiancé, a graduate of the University of North Carolina, where he was elected to Phi Beta Kappa, is an alumnus of the Bowman Gray School of Medicine of Wake Forest College.

An Autumn wedding is planned.

BOUCHER-SWEET — In an afternoon ceremony at the U. S. Navy Family Chapel, Long Beach, Calif., 20 December, Miss Ann Teresa Sweet, granddaughter of Mrs. Gaynor Gammans of Long Beach, became the bride of Lt. Francis Thompson Boucher, USN, son of Col. (USA-Ret) and Mrs. Francis H. Boucher of 10 Glenmaro Lane, St. Louis, Mo.

Attended by her sister, Miss Gloria Sweet, as maid of honor, the bride chose Mrs. Mervin Jackson, Miss Constance Kramer and Mrs. James Shaffer as her bridesmaids. Colonel Boucher served as best man for his son, and ushering were Lts. (jg) Donald Buchsieb, Richard Kuch, James Strickland and John McCaul.

Mrs. Boucher attended Long Beach City College. The bridegroom, USNA '53, attended Washington University, St. Louis, before entering the Naval Academy.

Following a Las Vegas honeymoon, the couple are now at home at Alameda, Calif., near the Naval Air Station, where Lieutenant Boucher, a Naval Aviator, is stationed.

STEELE-THOMAS — Mr. and Mrs. Marion J. Thomas of Arlington, Va., announce the engagement of their daughter,

Wilma Jean, to Cadet John S. Steele, USMA, son of Brig. Gen. (USA) and Mrs. John C. Steele, presently stationed with EUCOM Headquarters, Paris, France.

Miss Thomas is an honor graduate of the Washington School for Secretaries, and her fiancé is a first classman at the Military Academy.

A June wedding is planned to take place at Ft. Myer, Va.



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ALBERTSON-LEE — RAdm. and Mrs. James Richard Lee have announced the engagement of their daughter, Catherine Wood, to Mr. Abner Howard Albertson, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Albertson of Ambler, Pa.

Miss Lee, now studying in Paris, following a tour of the Middle East, where her father is Commander, Middle East Force, attended the University of Pennsylvania. Her fiancé, a graduate of Swarthmore College, who served in the Korean conflict and holds the rank of lieutenant in the Naval Reserve, is with the Leeds & Northrup Co., Philadelphia.

GOODSON-ELKIN — In an afternoon ceremony at the Post Chapel, Ft. Lewis, Wash., 17 January, Miss Dorothy Louise



Mrs. Goodson
Photo by W. A. Brownlee, Jr.

Elkin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schatzke, Elma, Wash., and Lt. Harry Clifford Goodson, III, USA, were united in marriage. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Goodson, Jr., of Las Alamos, N. Mex.

Mrs. Sidney P. Harris was maid of honor with Misses Barbara Startdell and Sharon Rosencrans as bridesmaids. Lt. Gerald Chase served as best man and Lts. Peter Grob and Robert Reinert ushered.

Mrs. Goodson attended Grays Harbor Junior College and her bridegroom was graduated from the USMA in 1957. He is currently stationed with the 4th Engineer Bn., at Ft. Lewis.

Following a New Mexico honeymoon, the couple will reside at 1628 Water St. Olympia, Wash.

KING-STIERS—Mr. and Mrs. James F. Stiers of Chillicothe, Ill., announce the engagement of their daughter, Dana Mary, to Lt. Charles R. King, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. King, formerly of Atlanta, Ga., now of Jacksonville, Fla. Miss Stiers is a student at the University of Florida. Her fiancé, a graduate of the Georgia Institute of Technology, is now taking the Advanced Engineer Officers Course at Ft. Belvoir, Va. A February wedding is planned.

KING-KLOCKO—Brig. Gen. (USAF) and Mrs. Richard Phillip Klocko, Hq 6900th Security Wg, APO 757, New York, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Mary Julia, to 1st Lt. William Thomas King, USA, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Thomas King, Newport, R. I. The bride-elect, whose father commands the 6900th Security Wing, was graduated from La Chatelaine, Neuchâtel, Switzerland, and attended Le Fleuron College, Florence, Italy. Her fiancé, USMA '57, attended the University of Rhode Island and was a member of the Theta Chi fraternity. He is stationed at Frankfurt, Germany with the Third Armored Division Security Platoon. An April wedding is planned.



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CURTIS-TULL—Col. (USAF-Ret) and Mrs. Lloyd H. Tull of 206 Highland Dr., Clemson, S. C., announce the engagement of their daughter, Dade Louise Warfield, to Mr. Brian Albert Curtis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard J. Curtis of Shoreham, L. I., N. Y. Miss Tull, who is the granddaughter of Brig. Gen. (USA-Ret) and Mrs. Augustus B. Warfield of Stockton, Calif., was graduated from Vassar College and holds a Master's degree in Biology from Wesleyan University. Her fiancé, a graduate of the University of Rochester is working toward a Doctorate in Physiology at Rockefeller Institute. He is the son of the Chairman of the Biology Department at the Brookhaven, L. I. National Laboratories. The wedding is planned for 9 April at Clemson, after which the couple will make their home at Cambridge, England, where Mr. Curtis will do research at the Physiological Laboratories.

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Distaff Foundation Volunteers Honored



GENERAL John E. Dahlquist, USA-Ret., President of the Army Distaff Foundation, honored eight volunteer workers at the quarterly meeting of the Army Wives Council held last week at Ft. Myer, Va.

The certificates were presented in recognition of outstanding and voluntary services in assisting the administrative staff of the Foundation. Awards were presented to Mesdames Andrew J. Goodpaster, Wayne Jefferson, Charles Fraleigh, J. W. Anderson, and Duncan Halleck.

Unable to be present to receive their certificates were: Mesdames Ernest Adams, Harry L. Fox, John Hinds, and Arthur L. Whitley who has joined her husband in transfer to Africa.

The second highlight of the meeting was the presentation of major accomplishments in the construction of the Army Distaff Hall since the fall of 1958 by Col. Julian Lindsay, USA-Ret., Executive Officer for the Army Distaff Foundation. He described and illustrated with slides the 1500 acre estate at 6200 Nebraska Ave., N. W., Washington where the \$4.5 million Hall will be erected for the widows of Army officers. It is expected that work on the 300 unit building will begin in late spring.

Weisner, Cadets Edward J. Handler, III, & Richard E. Gates, both USMA.

The couple are making their home at Ft. Campbell, where Lieutenant Anderson is currently stationed.

LETONOFF-THOMAS—Mrs. Marvin Lyle Thomas, widow of Lt. Colonel Thomas, USA, (USMA '31), of 3202 Van Buren St., Wilmington, Del., announces the engagement of their daughter, Rosemary, to Cadet Victor T. Letonoff, USMA, son of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore V. Letonoff of West Grove, Pa. Miss Thomas, a graduate of Ladycliff College, spent her junior year at the Sorbonne in Paris. Her fiancé is a first classman at the Military Academy. The wedding is planned for June at West Point.

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Capt. Palmer Is Named Bravo CofS

Capt. James M. Palmer has relieved Capt. Thomas H. Suddath as CofS of Antisubmarine Task Group BRAVO.

Captain Palmer assumed his new post in the flagship Wasp at Boston, reporting from Newport, R. I., where he commanded Destroyer Division 102.

Captain Palmer, USNA '38, is now senior aide to RADM. Allen M. Shinn, Commander of the Task Group.

Captain Suddath will command the Everglades, a destroyer tender based in Charleston, S. C.

Capt. Heerbrandt Joins Rhode Island Dept.

Capt. Paul F. Heerbrandt, USN, Commanding Officer of the U. S. Naval Station, Newport, R. I

AIR FORCE BOOSTS SENIOR RATED RANKS

THE Air Force added almost 1800 officers to its senior rated ranks during the 12-month period ending last September.

Explaining the rated-non-rated distribution by grade to the House and Senate Armed Services Committees this week, the Air Force said it had 47,798 rated officers in the ranks of captain through general as of last September. September a year ago, there were 45,999 rated officers in these grades.

The increase includes 123 flight surgeons, 519 observers and navigators, and 1,157 pilots.

Total officers, all ranks, include 54,871 non-rated officers and 72,293 rated, of whom 53,699 are pilots.

Here is the 30 September breakdown:

Grade	Pilots	Rated On Flying Status			Total
		Observers & Navigators	Flight Surgeons	Other	
Gen	331		16	71	418
Col	2,833	63	218	1,651	4,765
Lt Col	4,699	640	171	4,766	10,276
Maj	11,219	2,356	125	9,212	22,912
Capt	18,827	6,116	184	18,624	43,751
1st Lt	14,816	7,452		12,953	35,221
2d Lt	974	1,253		7,594	9,821
Total	53,699	17,880	714	54,871	127,164

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FR PROBATIONARY APT TO RA COMMISSION—

Hunt, Capt Jim I (1st Lt) Inf.

HONORABLY DISCHARGED—

Bailey, 1st Lt William R, Inf, pd.

Corley, 1st Lt Patricia L, AMSC.

BRANCH ASSIGNMENTS—

Currier, 1st Lt Roger M, fr Arty to CE.
Bratcher, 1st Lt Dewey F, Jr, fr Inf to Sig C.
Smallwood, Capt Grady L, fr TC to Arty.
Johnson, Capt Lewis C, USAR, fr AS to AS.
Womack, Capt Richard J, USAR, fr Inf to AI.

Jamison, Capt Charles E, USAR, fr Inf to AI.
Mills, Capt Harry, USAR, fr Arty to AI.
Staley, Maj James E, fr Inf to AI.
William, Capt Alun R, USAR, fr Arty to AI.

DESIGNATED ARMY AVIATORS—

Mangum, 1st Lt William A, CE, NG.

Senior Army Aviators:

Smith, Capt Herbert M, Jr, Inf.
Frandsen, Capt Donald P, Arty.
Herring, Capt Peter K, CE.

ADVANCED ON RET LIST—

Kantorik, M/Sgt John L, to 1st Lt.
Freeman, M/Sgt Eugene C, as 1st Lt.
McMorrow, M/Sgt Dan K, to 1st Lt.
Kitch, Sfc Harold W, to M/Sgt.
DuCharme, Sfc Benjamin J, to 2d Lt.
Baker, Sfc Robert D, to M/Sgt.
Dent, Sfc Carlos E, to WO.
Pritchard, Pfc Carl V, as Sfc.

EM RET AND TRF TO USAR—

Brantley, M/Sgt J K Jurasits, M/Sgt L J
Estes, Sfc F L Law, Sfc J L
Gorens, M/Sgt H D A Lindsey, M/Sgt L
Heath, M/Sgt R J Marsh, Sfc C H
Mason, 1st Sgt G L Olson, Sgt E H
Martin, M/Sgt D D Racicot, Sgt E A
Mayhew, Sgt A J Sampson, Sfc C H
Miller, M/Sgt D N Skawaki, M/Sgt M J
Tinsley, M/Sgt R E Tinsley, M/Sgt K L
Vantine, M/Sgt W J Brasler, Sp5 R A
Volk, M/Sgt J J Danielson, M/Sgt A R
Wilson, Sfc H A Dorman, M/Sgt L C
Wilson, Sgt J G Hess, Sp4 K R
Borgfeld, M/Sgt B R Kennedy, M/Sgt J P
Burks, M/Sgt C W Kenoyer, S/Sgt D D
Burns, M/Sgt R H Miles, Sfc C J
Croteau, Sfc P L Ruth, M/Sgt T S
Fojtik, Sfc J Smith, M/Sgt R W
Hinkson, Sfc G L Verheille, Sp4 E J
Lowe, M/Sgt J D Wernowsky, Sfc R
Parrish, M/Sgt F W Willis, M/Sgt N
Jr Winkler, M/Sgt M W
Stark, Sp6 S R Witt, M/Sgt L P
Tester, Sfc E W Worden, M/Sgt J L
Butler, M/Sgt M F Alamo, Sp5 V M
Adjan, Sfc G C Borel, SMaj E
Bomberry, Sfc R O Boucher, Sp5 C D
Davidson, M/Sgt B Bradshaw, M/Sgt
Fravel, Sfc F F F M
Ivey, SMaj C

ENLISTED MEN RETIRED—

Boren, M/Sgt Dean A, as Maj.
Horn, M/Sgt Andrew W, as 1st Lt.
Yount, M/Sgt Albert J, as Col.
Hennessy, M/Sgt Francis W, as CWO-2.
Bell, M/Sgt John T, as Lt Col.
Clark, Sgt Claude C, as Lt Col.
Patrick, M/Sgt Thomas E, as Capt.
Collier, M/Sgt Raymond F, as Lt Col.
Applegate, Sgt John, as Lt Col.
Brillet, M/Sgt Eugene H, as Maj.
Bainer, Sfc Frank A, as CWO-2.
Moseley, S/Sgt Edward F, as Maj.
Wolf, M/Sgt Eugene F, as Lt Col.
Clark, M/Sgt Howard B, as Maj.

Berry, Sgt Harold E, as Lt Col.
Callenberger, M/Sgt James D, to CWO-2.
Kelly, M/Sgt Lawrence R, to Lt Col.
Arbour, Sgt Louis P, to CWO-3.
Milner, M/Sgt James E, as Lt Col.
Molter, Sfc Albert C, as Col.
Hall, M/Sgt Clair L, as Maj.
Webb, M/Sgt William C, Jr, as Maj.
James, Sfc J C Davis, Pvt L A
Robbins, Sfc D S Durbin, Pvt R O
Brown, Sfc L W Figueroa, Sfc B
Hall, Sfc C C Gladden, Pfc E J
Dyson, Pvt A T Gonzalez, Pvt V H
Carter, Pfc B Harbour, Pfc H C
Cole, Pfc R E Whetzel, Pfc W E
Hegarty, Pfc R F Dominiak, S/Sgt L A
Martin, M/Sgt C R Herget, Pfc R P, Jr
Cook, Sp4 R B Kesler, Sp5 O R
Proctor, Sp6 A A, Jr Navis, Sp5 C G
Stone, Sfc H P Pickren, Sfc L P
Berry, M/Sgt S Ross, Sgt E F
Bryan, Sp4 N Walden, Sp4 R N
Rodriguez-Gascot, Davis, Sgt R A
Sgt J L Dawson, Sgt E E
Takemoto, Cpl A Thomas, Sp3 R
Blackwell, M/Sgt J O

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To CWO-3

14 Jan: Dillard, Charlton J.
16 Jan: Bright, Harry C.
18 Jan: Bruna, Elmer R.
20 Jan: Sertain, Travis L.

To CWO-2

14 Jan: Raborn, O O; Dillon, Katherine V.
15 Jan: Huch, O C; Tuyls, F L; Predoehl, R F; Neugebauer, A; Blernesser, G W, Jr; Voyles, D L; Pettit, Gerald H.
16 Jan: Schardt, H W; Reed, Lawrence J; Wittman, H A; Johnson, Nels C; Chizzoniti, R J; Mikita, R M; Jones, Jacob H; Charles, George H.

17 Jan: Luncford, W D; Fowlkes, E T; Husmann, W F; Easlick, C E.
18 Jan: Luciana, A; Brown, Roy S; Haire, Joseph W.

19 Jan: Wolfe, George D; Troutman, Herbert.

TEMPORARY PROMOTIONS—

To Major

Ruddy, Warren N; Brown, Frank B; Gippert, Winfield S; Rice, Thomas J, Jr; Norris, Carol D; Nelson, Omer C; Kaiser, Henry A; Tarrant, Edward W; Hoerter, George J.

REGAF PROMOTIONS CONFIRMED—

To Colonel

Wiper, Thomas L.

To Lt Colonel

Johnston, Robert R; Schaefer, C J H, Jr.

To Major

Crawford, Cecil C; Higdon, Sherman R; Raine, C O, 3d; Stapel, Wilmer L; Sture, Vernon J, (DC).

To Captain

Broadwater, T D; Clement, William J; Dawson, Owen L, Jr; Johnson, Gordon J; Middleton, James H, Jr; Moss, Charles H; Pasekoff, R E; Tribble, W D, (MSC); Goetz, Dorothy E, (NC); Parrish, Lillian H, (NC); Sloan, Robert A, (ChC).

TRANSFERRED—

Britt, 1st Lt Henry M, Inf, DA, aptd in RegAF as 1st Lt & asg to Hq Tech Tng Cen, ATC, Chanute AFB.

CORRECTION—

Robertson, Capt Frederick R, prev ors re his ret & pmt on Temp Disab Ret List, IATR "to Temp Disab Ret List as Maj."

AF Won't Shift 20-Year Reservists Until Board Decides Their Status

AIR FORCE Reserve officers with an active federal military service date before 30 June, 1941 in most cases will not be reassigned until notified of selection results under the new "controlled retirement" program.

Termed Project Twenty-Ten, the program is aimed at reducing the number of reserve officers in the 20 to 30 year service group. An annual selection board will meet to determine which officers reaching retirement eligibility can remain beyond 20 years.

Headquarters has stated that an officer with the TAFMSD of 30 June, 1941 will not change stations, unless he is overseas. In that case, the officer would be rotated on his normal date of return.

This, however, doesn't apply to the reserve officer already tagged for reassignment. He would go through with the change in duty.

When the selection boards do release their results, and an officer is not scheduled for retention beyond the 20 years' service, he then would be released from his reassignment obligation. But it is pointed out, if he has already shipped his household goods, or has left his home station, then he would continue on and complete the reassignment order.

The Headquarters action also takes into consideration such cases as these that might occur when a reserve officer approaches retirement:

• The case of an officer not selected who is serving overseas. He will be asked to extend his tour until his date of retirement with a maximum of 54 months

AIRMEN ADVANCED ON RET LIST—

Osburn, A/B Arthur H, to A/3C.

AIRMEN RETURNED TO RET STATUS—

Rogers, M/Sgt Edward H.

Mills, M/Sgt Woolsey L.

AIRMEN RETIRED—

SM/Sgt: Horsfall, James A V, as WO.
M/Sgt: George, Ulysses; Rosencrance, D R; Bonifay, William A, as CWO-2; Montgomery, Bernard; Double, Kenneth C; Schreiber, Alfred C; York, John; Otto, Earl B; Smith, Glenn W; Strandberg, O R, as Maj; Mertes, Henry G; Leduc, Robert E; Pickrell, G W, Jr; Bellitt, John H; Bouffard, R J; Gross, Baety O, as LtCol; Mercereau, James T, as Col; Hendry, Halton L.
T/Sgt: Vollmer, William P, as Capt; Larson, Leo M; Edwards, Steve W.
S/Sgt: Stewart, Huey P; Benitez, Lloyd A, Jr; Barnes, Roger T, as Capt; Holt, Thomas J; Williams, Frank L; Clark, Charles H; Tanner, S/Sgt Floyd L, Jr; Campbell, Raymond W; Harsellwander, Jacob; Mark, William O; Kecskeny, Steve; Hammond, Francis E.

A/1C: Huff, Rudolph B; Lawrence, Charles R.

A/3C: Overby, James A; Haftl, John W, Jr.
A/2C: Shogren, John R; Allen, Charles E.
A/B: Price, Billy K; Armstrong, Robert C.

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Herrald, Fletcher H, TEXGRU; to CO NAVU ARMLCEN MD EDGEWOOD.

Hoffman, Charles K, NAS ALAMITOS LBEACH; to CO NAVRESTRACEN POMONA.

Hopkins, Paul W, USS RANKIN; to NAV PHIL.

Jensen, Bernard, NAS NY FLOYD BENNETT FLD; to CO NAVRESTRACEN SAGINAW.

McGonigle, Edward F, OFC OF JAG NAV DEPT; to NARTU NAS ANACOSTIA WASHDC.

McKinney, Clyde B, PATRON 17; to CO SAME RON.

Morley, Howard W, NAVRESTRACOM NAS GLEN; to NAS GLEN.

Plaxco, Moffatt R, Jr, FAIRELM; to MATS SCOTT AFB.

Rehnberg, Kay P, Jr, UTRON SEVEN; to CO SAME RON.

Rowland, Henry M, Jr, NARTU NAS MFS; to NAS ATLANTA MARIETTA.

Stock, Edward J, BUWEP; to NAVSTA KWEST.

Tompkins, John D, MSTSWESTPACAREA; to USS NAVARRO.

Tyler, Sidney F, 2d, CINCELMREP FRANKFURT; to 6ND.

Ensey, Lytleton B, CO FLEGUNSCOL NAV STA SDIEGO; to 11ND.

Deal, Ronald A, Jr, OIC FAETULANT DET TWO; to PATRON 50.

Hansen, Robert L, USS NORTON SOUND; to FAIRWG TWO.

being allowed for this purpose. If he does not wish to extend his tour, he may be extended involuntarily if his date of return is not more than three months before his date of retirement. This would be done to permit retirement at the time of rotation.

• The case of an officer completing a stabilized tour. If notified of nonselection by the board, he would be extended involuntarily up to a maximum tour of 48 months if it would permit retirement before his mandatory reassignment.

If the extension doesn't bring the officer up to the established retirement date, then he would be reported to Hq USAF for reassignment instructions.

MINOT MAN

Col. James O. Beckwith has assumed command of the Minot AFB, N. D. Air Defense Sector. He replaces Lt. Col. William C. Jedd.

Colonel Beckwith has been serving with the Central Control Group, Net Evaluation Subcommittee, National Security Council, at USAF Headquarters. No stranger to air defense, he is a former commander of the 4711th Defense Wing.

McDowell, William R, Jr, USS YORKTOWN; to NAVAIRPAC.

McKay, Frank W (SC), NAVSHIPSTOFC BKLYN; to NAVSEC MAAG SPAIN MADRID.

Mellin, Richard G, PHIBPAC TEMINS; to USS MONTROSE.

Parsons, Samuel G, NAVAIRPAC; to OP NAV.

Randolph, John B, USS FREMONT; to CO USS BORIE.

Roberts, Owen A, BUPERS; to CO USS NEWMAN K PERRY.

Romaine, Robert R, NATRACOM NAS PNCLA; to AEWRON 13.

Santry, Jere J, USS LAKE CHAMPLAIN; to DIRCRUIT SECOND.

Satterfield, Loya M, USS FORRESTAL; to NAVAIRLANT.

Troth, Philip (SC), NSD GUAM; to OFC OF SUPINMAT WESTDIST TI SFRAN.

Willis, Richard W, USNA ANNA; to USS INDEPENDENCE.

Woodward, Horace J, CO PATRON 49; to FAIRWGLANT.

Allridge, Jessie L A, NAVRESTRACOM NAS GLEN; to NAS GLEN.

Bitting, Soule T, NAS OAK; to NAVRESTRACOM NAS GLEN.

Chiquelin, William L, NAS NRLNS; to CO NAVRESTRACEN LAUREL.

Griffin, Wallace S, NAS WILLOW GROVE; to CO NAVRESTRACEN LANTCITY.

Kinsley, William A, NAS GLEN; to CO NAVRESTRACEN LONGVIEW.

McNulty, Willard J, NAVSTA PEARL; to 14ND.

Spren, Roger E, CO USS BIGELOW; to CO USS LUCE.

Cassani, Vincent L, Jr, FLETRAGRU GTMO; to CO USS DAMATO.

Finn, Walter R (SC), USS KEARSARGE; to NSC NORVA.

Grey, George S, USS GENERAL H W BUTNER; to NAVRETRACOM NAVB PORTSMOUTH.

Jester, Walter H, OIC NAVSECGRUDET COMNAVFORJAPAN; to NAVSECGRU HQACTY WASHDC.

Knowles, Lloyd C, USNAV SUPFORANTARCTICA; to ALUSNO WELLINGTON.

Landua, Oliver H, SERVAPAC; to JSTAFF CINCPAC.

Lennon, Bernard C, NAVINSURV NAVSTA WASHDC; to OFC OF SUPSHIP USN NYSHIPBLDG CORP CAMDEN.

McCuddin, Leo B, COMCARAIRGRU THREE; to USS WASP.

Meigs, Joseph V, Jr, USS BOXER; to OPNAV.

Mueller, Gregg, USS YORKTOWN; to BU WEPS.

Osborn, John G, Jr, NATECHTRACEN MFS; to CARDIV 18.

Rawls, Hollis C, Jr, CO USS SAMUEL N MOORE; to ALUSNO HONG KONG.

Reilly, Robert F, USNA ANNA; to CO USS HARRY E HUBBARD.

Smiley, Walter P, OPNAV; to CO USS ROBINSON.

Squires, Lewis W, BUWEP; to USS BOXER.

Stark, Robert E, PHILANAVSHIPYD; to BUSHIPS.

Sunquist, Gustave A, Jr, OFC OF BUWEP SREP MCDONALD AIRCORP STL; to NAVMISSILECEN PT MUGU.

Talbert, Cornelius H, USS HANCOCK; to NATRANSWGPAC.

Taylor, John A, GENSTOSUPOFC PHILA; to NAVSHIPREPAC SUBIC BAY.

SecDef Says Reserve Forces Reach All-Time High In Strength And Trained Readiness

SECRETARY of Defense Gates has reported to the President and Congress that the Reserve Forces during the past fiscal year "reach an all-time high both in numerical strength and in trained readiness."

During fiscal '59, the size of the Reserve increased from 4,050,000 to nearly 4,390,000.

Reservists in paid drill status was increased from about 1,035,000 to more than 1,070,000.

Here is an all-Service evaluation of Reserve Forces readiness as reported by Secretary Gates for the period ending 30 June 1959:

RESERVE COMPONENTS OF THE ARMY

The Army National Guard and the Army Reserve have attained the highest state of readiness in the peacetime history of the Nation. Primarily, this was because of two major actions: The input of trained individuals from the six month's training program and active Army service, and the reorganization of Reserve Components into the modern Pentomic structure.

Army National Guard

An important objective of the Army National Guard during Fiscal Year 1959 was the reorganization of its forces under the Pentomic concept. This required the consolidation, conversion, redesignation, and reorganization of units throughout the Army National Guard. As part of the reorganization, the Army National Guard introduced the Combat Arms Regimental System. This system provides a flexible organizational structure that maintains the Army National Guard's most famous armor, artillery, and infantry regiments. By the end of the Fiscal Year 1959, 52 troop allotments had been formally accepted by the States, and all States had been issued reorganization authorities by the National Guard Bureau. This reorganization has now been completed, more than one year earlier than the original target date of December 31, 1960.

The objective of the Army National Guard training program was to begin basic unit training in all units. This program was progressing according to plan.

By the end of the Fiscal Year 1959, the Army National Guard had sufficient equipment on hand to conduct satisfactory basic unit training. On June 30, 1959, it was estimated that approximately 74 per cent of the total

strength of the Army National Guard was composed of either six months trainees or men with prior service. Most of the rest have received basic training through long service in the Army National Guard.

Army Reserve

In the second quarter, Fiscal Year 1959, the Department of the Army approved plans and issued implementation instructions for reorganization of the Army Reserve. The conversion of the Army Reserve into a Pentomic type organization similar to the active Army was necessary, so as to support initial mobilization requirements.

The reorganization of the Army Reserve simultaneously incorporated designations of combat arms units into the Combat Army Regimental System.

Continental United States Army and Overseas Commanders were authorized to accomplish reorganization during a two year period, or until December 31, 1960. However, in order to enhance mobilization readiness at the earliest practicable date, approximately 90 per cent of all reorganizational actions were completed by end Fiscal Year 1959. As a result, the great majority of Army Reserve units had the distinct advantage of attending annual active-duty-for-training during the summer of Calendar Year 1959 under the new organizational structure.

Since the last reporting period, the number of personnel who have completed basic and advanced individual training has increased to approximately 94 per cent of the total assigned and participating strength in Army Reserve units. This was due primarily to the continued assignments to units of personnel who have completed six months active-duty-for-training and the assignment of returning obligor personnel. In addition, readiness has been enhanced by the increased number of units participating in week-end multiple drills. The recent reorganization and increased emphasis of unit training has greatly enhanced the mobilization readiness of the Army Reserve.

NAVAL RESERVE

The over-all readiness of the Naval Reserve is good. The Navy has benefited in large measure insofar as readiness of the Reserve is concerned from the policy of requiring its Reservists to perform two years active duty as part of their statutory obligation. This tour of

active duty enables the Reservist to return to a drill unit with a substantial basic Naval education from which point he should have little difficulty in advancing to petty officer status. This active duty is advantageous even though the Reservist does not elect to enter a drilling program because he is unlikely to lose the skills acquired during the remainder of the three or four years he must legally remain a Reservist, to the end that his recall to service during that time would still provide the Navy with a man who has been at least basically oriented.

Naval Reserve officers are also required to perform at least two years of active duty subsequent to appointment. Their length of obligated service depends on the program from which commissioned and the required active duty in some cases is as much as five years. Considerable numbers of officers voluntarily remain longer, thus, the reservoir of actual active service experience among the Navy's Reserve officers is substantial.

The Selected Reserve concept of the Navy is designed to provide operational type training to these already experienced Reservists and the maintenance of an over-all high status of readiness is strived for through:

Constant review of Naval Reserve training programs and regular careful inspection and evaluation against Active Fleet requirements. The shift in emphasis to Anti-Submarine Warfare training conforms with strategic requirements which appear to dictate a continuing immediate Reserve need in this phase of Naval warfare. All efforts are accordingly geared to produce such capabilities in the Naval Reserve.

The responsiveness of the Naval Reserve will improve considerably as the implementation of the Selected Reserve program progresses. This program with its dispersed ships and aircraft and their immediately available crews, its special teams and fleet augmentation personnel, will contribute materially to national defense.

MARINE CORPS RESERVE

At the end of Fiscal Year 1959, the Marine Corps Reserve could meet its numerical requirements for trained personnel to fill mobilization billets. All officers have completed tours of active duty, and over 175,000 enlisted personnel have met or exceeded minimum training requirements for deployment overseas. Those Reservists in units reached a

higher state of readiness during the past fiscal year. Mobilization deficiencies in certain occupational fields, though small, continue to show up year after year.

RESERVE COMPONENTS OF THE AIR FORCE

Air National Guard

Fiscal Year 1959 was a year in which the Air National Guard made excellent progress towards attainment of its readiness goal. Contributing to this higher state of readiness were:

- Improved aircraft inventory through assignment of more modern equipment.
- Increased readiness of aircraft, aircrews, and other than aircrews.
- Greater utilization of USAF Service Schools.
- Improved attendance at unit training assemblies and field training exercises.
- Reduced accident rate.

As of June 30, 1959, aircraft operationally ready was 68.8 per cent of possessed; aircrews assigned totaled 87.2 per cent of authorized and 58.7 per cent of crews authorized were ready; 60.9 per cent of Other Than Aircrews were operationally ready. Tactical flying units possessed 90 per cent of their authorized unit mission equipment. Overall the Air National Guard had about 90 per cent of its authorized unit mission equipment.

Air Force Reserve

The troop carrier wings as of the close of this report were approximately 70 per cent war ready. This readiness percentage results from consideration of two factors: One, an airlift readiness of 85 per cent and the other an airdrop readiness of 60 per cent. This is considered an acceptable figure in view of the length of time these units have been equipped with their present aircraft.

With regard to the five Air Rescue units: Three units have attained an acceptable degree of wartime readiness, however, two units have no capability at present due to the recency of their activation.

COAST GUARD RESERVE

In view of the number of Reservists actively participating in some phase of inactive duty training and the fact that virtually all of the remaining group have completed at least two years active service, the over-all state of readiness of the Coast Guard Reserve is considered to be good.

Tomkins, Lewis A. NAVWARCOL NPT DUINS; to CO ATKRON 113.
Webster, Harvey O. Jr. OPNAV; to CO USS WILLIAM R. RUSH.
Williams, Reginald M. Jr. USS SHANGRI LA; to HELANTISUBRON FOUR.

LIEUTENANT COMMANDER

Bean, Francis T. OFC OF ASST INDMAN SEATTLE; to CO USS DELIVER.
Boyd, James W. OFC OF SUPSHIP NYSHIP BLDG CORP CAMDEN; to NORFOLK SHIPYD.
Callahan, Phillip S. FAIRELM; to PATRON 10.
Chandler, George W. Jr. PHIBOPTRAILA NT; to NAVPHIBSCOL LCREEK NAV PHIBASE NORVA.
Coble, Reid E. FASRON 102; to NAS WHID BEY IS OAK HARBOR.
Correia, Frank B. NROTCU UNIV OF COLORADO; to AEWGLANT.
Cross, William H. MARENAVSHIPYD; to BUSHIPS.
Dangelo, Anthony S. NELM; to FLAGRU.
Davenport, Fred W. OFC OF INSMAT SCHNET; to DESFLOT ONE.
Davis, Roy G. ATKRON 76; to NAVAIR LANT TEM.
Edwards, Robert W. USS SHANGRI LA; to NAS MIRAMAR.
Galtier, Donald, CO UDT 21; to NAD CRANE.
Gillis, Arthur W. (SC), NSD GUAM; to NAV SUPPCEN NORVA.
Jesup, Charles R. NAVCOMMSTA NORFOLK; to OIC NAVRADSTA (T) ANNA.
Johnson, John R. GEORGE WASHINGTON UNIV WASHDC DUINS; to FAIRQUON SET.
Jones, Theodore, FLETRAGRU GTMO; to NAVCISSCOL NAS GYLYCO.
Lamar, Burris D. OFC OF SUPSHIP QUINCY; to BUSHIPS.
Lewis, Muriel J. BUPERS; to WESTSEA FRON.

Luyendyk, Howard G. (SC), NSD SEATTLE; to PHIBRON ONE.
Maragos, George, OFC OF SUPSHIP GEN DYNAMICORP ELECBODIV GROTON; to USNA ANNA.
Peed, George P. CO USS BLAIR; to OIC NAVGMU NR 10.
Pino, John A. BUWEP; to USTAIWAN PATFOR/FAIRWG ONE.
Rawls, Elbert S. Jr. (SC) NSC NORVA; to USARMTFCMGT AGENCY WASHDC.
Ryan, Harriet R. (NC), NAVHOSP CHESA; to NAVHOSP QUANT.
Schabowicz, Josephine T. (NC), NAVHOSP CORSCOL NAVHOSP GLAKES; to NAV HOSP GLAKES.
Stiekenius, John H. TARCON 21; to HUT RON TWO.
Sutcliffe, Kermit R. USS PRITCHETT; to DASA WASHDC.
West, George K. BUORDTECHREP LOSA; to BUWEPSTECHREP LOSA.
Yeatropoulos, James, BARF KAMAN AIR CORP BLOOMFIELD; to BUWEPRES REP SAME CORP.
Fay, Lawrence J. CO USS GALLANT; to KWESTEVDET.
Field, Francis E. SEVENTHFLT; to USS SOMERS.
Houck, Richard, BATRAGRU SEVEN NAS MFS; to USS KEARSARGE.
Lavole, Theodore E. HELANTISUBRON FIVE; to NAS GLEN.
Marsh, John C. ASST ALUSNA AND ASST ALUSNA FOR AIR CANBERRA; to DES FLOT 3 TEM.
Moore, Donald D. OFC OF INSMAT DET; to USS OKLAHOMA CITY.
Rose, Rodney, (SC), CHASNAVSHIPYD; to OFC OF INSGEN OF SUPCOR (AIR) ASO PHILA.
Sadler, William C. OFC OF SUPSHIP NEWPORT NEWS SHIPBLDG AND DRYDOCK CO NPTNWS; to NAVSUBINSURV NORVA.

Anderson, Charles O. OPNAV; to CARDIV TWO.
Brumbaugh, Dale C. OPNAV; to DESRON 10 TEM.
Buccini, Albert, USS PICTOR; to FLEOP CONCENPAC.
Fowler, William E. FLETRACEN CHASN; to CO SAME CEN.
Hunt, Bernard H. (MSC), GEORGE WASHINGTON UNIV WASHDC DUINS; to NATNAVMEDECEN BETHESDA.
Lileks, Vernon A. NAVSTA ROTA; to NAS SANFORD.
Middleton, Charles H. BSNAVSHIPYD; to BUSHIPS.
Penny, Larue D. (SC), USS GENERAL H W BUTNER; to 6ND.
Rogers, David A. NAVSUBINSURV NAVB NPT; to BUSHIPS.
Servles, Gordon, ATKRON 23; to NATECH TRAU NAMATCEN PHILA.
White, Harold F. (SC), NAS PNCLA; to NAAS WHITING FLD MILTON.
Wilson, Glenn A. NAVSTA MIDWAY IS; to PATRON 47.
Wingo, Rodney K. (SC), ESO GLAKES; to USS OKLAHOMA CITY.
Yingling, Abdiel R. Jr. MINRON FOUR; to DESRON 36 TEM.
Zent, John L. NARTU NAS JAX; to PATRON 10.
Aeschbach, Warren E. TRAPAC TEM; to NAVFORCONAD ENT AFB COLORADO SPRINGS.
Bell, Richard C. NATECHTRAU NAMATCEN PHILA; to NAS OLATHE.
Brown, Robert J. FLTOPCONCENLANT; to FLETRACEN CHASN.
Dagg, Robert M. UNIV OF WASH SEATTLE DUINS; to OPNAV.
Durfos, Robert E. AIRANTISUBRON 37; to OPNAV.
Flores, Edward, USS GENERAL H W BUTNER; to MSTSLANTAREA.

Hickey, Earl F. (MSC), NAVSTA ORANGE; to TEXGRU.
Jones, William M. CHASNGRU; to NAVSEC MAAG PORTUGAL LISBON.
Kerr, Claude E. USS MONTROSE; to DIEG OGRU.
Maier, Charles W. USS BON HOMME RICHARD; to NUCLEARWPNTACENPAC NAS NORIS SDIEGO.
Martin, Lealyn E. DESRON 17; to FLESON ARSOL SDIEGO.
McMullen, Marlin E. (SC), CHASNAVSHIP YD; to NATFC COORDINATINGOFF CHARLESTON AFB.
Pohrman, David C. NAVERCSTA NAVSTA LBEACH; to PHIBPAC.
Royer, Leonard L. USS GENERAL H W BUTNER; to OIC PAMI 3ND.
Schuler, Foster R. USS CAPERTON; to ASST ALUSNA CANBERRA.
Taylor, Robert W. SERVPAC; to DIEG OGRU.
Thornton, John L. SEATO RSCHSERVCEN BANGKOK; to NAVPHIL.
Tippin, Jesse R. (SC) BUWEP; to CHAS NAVSHIPYD.
Toner, James F. NAVFAC CAPE HATTERAS BUXTON; to NAVFAC COOS HEAD COOS BAY.
Watts, Joe W. FITRON 174 TEM; to AIR FERON 31.
Watts, John M. NAVSHIPREPFAC SUBIC BAY; to NAVSUBINSURV NAVB NPT.
Wilson, Jennings B. Jr. FITRON 121; to NAS ATSUGI.
Atwater, Vern E. (CEC) NAD HASTINGS; to MARCOSUPCEN BARSTOW.
Brooks, Ruby M. (NC). NAVCRUITSTA HOU; to NAVHOSP MFS.

Juniors To Sea Command

LIEUTENANT

Walling, Eugene K. CO USS SALINE COUNTY; to CO USS HOLMES COUNTY.

Births • Marriages • Deaths

(No charge for Service announcements. Please print all names.)

Born

ALLESSIE—Vicenza, Italy 4 Jan Sgt & Mrs Charles T Alessie, son, Charles T, Jr.
ANDERSON—Shaw AFB, SC 11 Jan Maj & Mrs Richard K Anderson, daughter.
BARANSKI—Ft Riley, Kans 15 Jan Capt & Mrs Robert Baranski, daughter, Karen Patricia.
BALLENGEE—Landstuhl, Germany 5 Jan Sp5 & Mrs James W Ballengee, twins, son, Timothy R & daughter, Debra G.
BEALS—Vicenza, Italy 27 Dec M/Sgt & Mrs Wayne E Beals, son, David W.
BEATY—Landstuhl, Germany 8 Jan Sp5 & Mrs Robert C Beaty, son, Robert E.
BELL—Landstuhl, Germany 6 Jan 1st Lt & Mrs Christopher C Bell, Jr, son, Kevin T.
BENAVIDES—Landstuhl, Germany 12 Jan S/Sgt & Mrs Ruben Benavides, son, Roland.
BENNETTE—West Point, NY 15 Jan Maj & Mrs Charles J Bennette, daughter, Carolyn Joan.
BIRCH—Andrews AFB, DC 12 Jan 2d Lt & Mrs John N Birch, son.
BIZZARO—Vicenza, Italy 6 Jan Sp5 & Mrs Richard M Bizzaro, daughter, Catherine D.
BOOS—Landstuhl, Germany 12 Jan 1st Lt & Mrs Albert G Boos, son, Albert G.
BOWDOIN—Ft Ord, Calif 13 Jan Lt & Mrs William R Bowdoin, 3125 Hacienda Dr, Pebble Beach, Calif, son, William Elliott.
BROWN—Landstuhl, Germany 10 Jan Sp4 & Mrs Eugene C Brown, son, Dennis E.
BROWN—Landstuhl, Germany 6 Jan Capt & Mrs Kenneth C Brown, son, Nicholas B.
BROWN—Ft Ord, Calif 11 Jan Capt & Mrs William C Brown, 327 Ardenes Cir, Ft Ord, daughter, Marci Saunders.
BUTLER—Landstuhl, Germany 20 Jan S/Sgt & Mrs Edward J Butler, daughter, Michele D.
CADLE—Cp Zama, Japan 17 Jan Sgt & Mrs Cleveland Cadle, son, Edward.
CARMODY—Andrews AFB, DC 2 Jan Lt & Mrs Cornelius J Carmody, daughter.
CLARK—Vance AFB, Okla 14 Jan 1st Lt & Mrs Gerald O Clark, son.
COOK—Ft Carson, Colo 9 Jan Capt & Mrs Kelly F Cook, Air Force Academy, Colo, daughter.
COOR—Neubrucke/Nahe, Germany 14 Jan 1st Lt & Mrs Vinton K Coor, daughter, Karen J.
CRANDALL—Landstuhl, Germany 30 Dec Sp5 & Mrs Royal F Crandall, son, James F.
CRAWFORD—Patterson AH, Ft Monmouth, NJ 22 Jan 1st Lt & Mrs William Crawford, 360 Pinebrook Rd, Eatontown, NJ, son.
CREWS—Neubrucke/Nahe, Germany 12 Jan Sp4 & Mrs Neal W Crews, son, Daryl K.
CROSS—Vicenza, Italy 23 Dec M/Sgt & Mrs Leroy F Cross, daughter, Dolores T.
CUNNINGHAM—DeWitt AH, Ft Belvoir, Va 17 Jan Capt (USAF) & Mrs Orpha R Cunningham, son.
DANIELS—Ft Meade, Md 13 Jan 2d Lt & Mrs James D Daniels, son.
DEDRICH—Neubrucke/Nahe, Germany 10 Jan Sfc & Mrs James A Dedrich, son, Carlton E.
DERRICK—Neubrucke/Nahe, Germany 10 Jan Capt & Mrs Fletcher C Derrick, daughter, Martha S.
DUFF—Landstuhl, Germany 8 Jan 1st Lt & Mrs Howard J Duff, son, Gary J.
EDMUNDS—Ft Meade, Md 15 Jan 1st Lt & Mrs Donald S Edmunds, daughter.
FELDER—Landstuhl, Germany 30 Dec 1st Lt & Mrs John H Felder, daughter, Christel S.
FINK—Ft Meade, Md 13 Jan Maj & Mrs Donald P Fink, daughter.
FISKE—Neubrucke/Nahe, Germany 13 Jan Sp5 & Mrs Sterling B Fiske, daughter, Elizabeth M.
FOGLE—Patterson AH, Ft Monmouth, NJ 24 Jan 2d Lt & Mrs Allen S Fogle, 58 Tinton Ave, Eatontown, NJ, daughter.
FONDRISI—Landstuhl, Germany 10 Jan S/Sgt & Mrs Frank S Fondrisi, Jr, Frank, 3d.
FORGEY—Neubrucke/Nahe, Germany 13 Jan M/Sgt & Mrs Edwin N Forgey, daughter, Loretta K.
GALLIVAN—Vicenza, Italy 18 Dec Maj & Mrs John D Gallivan, daughter, Maureen U.
GALLOWAY—Frankfurt, Germany 22 Jan 1st Lt & Mrs G E Galloway, Jr, 23d Engr Bn (Arm'd Div) APO 165, NY, son, Gerald E, 3d, grandson of Maj Gen & Mrs G E Galloway, Ft Belvoir, Va, and of Maj Gen & Mrs E J Messinger, Alexandria, Va.
GERSHATER—West Point, NY 20 Jan Maj & Mrs E M Gershater, son, James Burns Fisher, grandson of Mrs George J B Fisher, and the late Col Fisher of Ft Myers, Fla and Cape May, NJ.
GIBSON—Landstuhl, Germany 6 Jan Sp5 & Mrs Lewis G Gibson, son, Lewis D.
GIMLIN—Landstuhl, Germany 10 Jan Sgt & Mrs J L Gimlin, son, Claude A.
GRANT—Neubrucke/Nahe, Germany 14 Jan 1st Lt & Mrs Donald E Grant, son, Mark K.

GREENE—Fitzsimons GH, Denver 1st Lt (USAF) & Mrs Taylor H Greene, daughter.
HARDEGREE—Ft Riley, Kans 15 Jan Capt & Mrs John P Hardegree, daughter, Melissa Ann.
HARRIS—Travis AFB, Calif 16 Jan 1st Lt & Mrs Frank E Harris, son.
HARRIS—Ft Meade, Md 15 Jan Capt & Mrs Matthew N Harris, daughter.
HARRIS—Fitzsimons AH, Denver 18 Jan 1st Lt (USAF) & Mrs Warren L Harris, son.
HEINLEY—Ft Stewart, Ga 21 Jan 2d Lt & Mrs Warren Heinley, son.
HENTHORNE—Ft Meade, Md 16 Jan Capt & Mrs Harold R Henthorne, daughter.
HERBST—DeWitt AH, Ft Belvoir, Va 17 Jan Capt (USAF) & Mrs Robert T Herbst, son.
HEWITT—Munich, Germany 1 Dec 1st Lt & Mrs Robert A Hewitt, Jr, Hq & Hq Co, 21st Inf 1BG, APO 29, NY, son, Michael Hutcheson.
HICKMAN—Orlando AFB, Fla 12 Jan 1st Lt & Mrs Robert N Hickman, 2214 Walnut St, Orlando, daughter, Pamela J.
HILLERY—Landstuhl, Germany 12 Jan Capt & Mrs Jean C Hillery, daughter, Jana L.
HOBBS—Cp Zama, Japan 13 Jan Sp5 & Mrs James D Hobbs, son, James Leon.
HOOGLAND—Ft Leonard Wood, Mo 10 Jan 1st Lt & Mrs John J Hoogland, daughter, Robin Joy.
INGLETT—Neubrucke/Nahe, Germany 13 Jan Sp5 & Mrs Robert H Inglett, son, David T.
JOHNSON—La Chapelle, St Mesmin, France 12 Jan Sp4 & Mrs Ralph D Johnson, son, Raymond D.
JOHNSON—Fitzsimons GH, Denver 13 Jan 1st Lt (USAF) & Mrs Thomas N Johnson, son.
JONES—Ft Knox, Ky 26 Dec Capt & Mrs Briggs H Jones, 5555-A Hiers St, Van Voorhis Mnr, Ft Knox, daughter, Catherine Erin.
KENNEY—Andrews AFB, DC 2 Jan Maj & Mrs Charles D Kenney, son.
KING—West Point, NY 15 Jan Capt & Mrs Harlan L King, daughter, Victoria April.
KURASHIM—Landstuhl, Germany 6 Jan Sgt & Mrs James T Kurashim, twin sons, Gary & Gene.
KVETENSKY—Orlando AFB, Fla 19 Jan 1st Lt & Mrs Warren Kvetensky, 2260 Mulberry Dr, Orlando, son, Robert Neal.
LAMB—Landstuhl, Germany 30 Dec M/Sgt & Mrs Charles H Lamb, son, Steven B.
LAUDERMILK—Landstuhl, Germany 9 Jan Sp4 & Mrs Keith A Laudermilk, sr, son, Robert W.
LEGTERS—Landstuhl, Germany 5 Jan Capt & Mrs Llewellyn J Legters, daughter, Denise S.
LEONARD—Langley AFB, Va 12 Jan Capt & Mrs Gregory H Leonard, 810 Redheart Dr, Hampton, Va, son, Charles Patrick.
LEE—Sheppard AFB, Tex 3 Jan Lt Col & Mrs Jay S Lee, son, John Arthur.
LIPSCOMB—Vicenza, Italy 31 Dec Capt & Mrs Charles R Lipscomb, daughter, Laura M.
LONG—DeWitt AH, Ft Belvoir, Va 15 Jan Cdr & Mrs Robert J Long, son.
LOWERY—Landstuhl, Germany 6 Jan Sp4 & Mrs Daniel W Lowery, son, Steven D.
LOWREY—Sheppard AFB, Tex 6 Jan Capt & Mrs Howard D Lowrey, son, Larry Wesley.
LUCAS—Landstuhl, Germany 9 Jan Sp4 & Mrs William J Lucas, daughter, Donna A.
LYONS—Ft Gordon, Ga recently 1st Lt & Mrs Gerald E Lyons, daughter.
MANNIX—Andrews AFB, DC 9 Jan Maj & Mrs William C Mannix, daughter.
MCGALLIARD—Neubrucke/Nahe, Germany 12 Jan Sfc & Mrs Carl L McGalliard, son, Carl L.
MCGOWAN—DeWitt AH, Ft Belvoir, Va 19 1st Lt & Mrs Edward J McGowan, daughter.
McMILLEN—Neubrucke/Nahe, Germany 7 Jan Sgt & Mrs Lawrence D McMillen, son, Michael L.
McMULLEN—Ft Carson, Colo 8 Jan Capt & Mrs R T McMullen, 2554 Palmer Park Blvd, Colorado Springs, Colo, daughter.
McNEIL—Travis AFB, Calif 16 Jan 1st Lt & Mrs Charles T McNeil, son.
MEGILLAN—Ft Carson, Colo 12 Jan CWO & Mrs George Megillan, 102 Balfour Dr, Colorado Springs, Colo, daughter.
METCALFE—Orlando AFB, Fla 14 Jan 1st Lt & Mrs Frank Metcalfe, 903 Jamaio Blvd, Orlando, son, Paul R.
MILLER—Ft Carson, Colo 13 Jan 1st Lt & Mrs Alan Miller, Qts 7218, Ft Carson, daughter.
MILLS—Vicenza, Italy 25 Dec Sp5 & Mrs Pal E Mills, daughter, Kathleen M.
MYERS—Andrews AFB, DC 5 Jan Capt Dale H Myers, son.
MULL—Leigh Memorial Hosp, Norfolk, Va, 22 Jan Lt (USNA '50) & Mrs Charles L Mull, 1623 Wapiti Ave, Norfolk 3, son, Charles Wesley, grandson of Capt (USNA '27, Ret) & Mrs Charles M Tooke, Fulton, NY; great-grandson of the late Col James B Woolnough, USMA '04; and brother of

Debbie and Carol Lynn. Lt Mull is asgd to the USS DuPont.
MURPHY—Ft Riley, Kans 12 Jan 1st Lt & Mrs Galen Murphy, son, Michael Alan.
MURRAY—Ft Meade, Md 17 Jan 1st Lt & Mrs James M Murray, daughter.
NELSON—Neubrucke/Nahe, Germany 11 Jan Jan T/Sgt & Mrs John R Nelson, daughter, Christina R.
NESTER—Ft Dix, NJ 15 Jan 2d Lt & Mrs Charles A Nester, daughter, Jann White.
NICHOLS—Landstuhl, Germany 6 Jan CWO-2 & Mrs Eugene D Nichols, sr, daughter, Margaret A.
O'BRIEN—Andrews AFB, DC 8 Jan 1st Lt & Mrs James J O'Brien, daughter.
OHAK—Landstuhl, Germany 12 Jan Sp5 & Mrs Ferdinand I Ohak, daughter, Kathrin A.
PAGE—Landstuhl, Germany 11 Jan Sgt & Mrs Wayne D Page, son, Bruce P.
PAYNE—Vance AFB, Okla 16 Jan 1st Lt & Mrs Chris R Payne, daughter.
PHILLIPS—Fitzsimons AH, Denver 21 Jan Capt & Mrs Elbert W Phillips, daughter.
PHILLIPS—Landstuhl, Germany 6 Jan Sp5 & Mrs Robert J Phillips, son, Robert J, Jr.
PIASCICKS—Geinhausen, Germany 19 Jan 1st Lt & Mrs Leon Piasick, son, Michael Ray.
PLAIN—Ft Leonard Wood, Mo 11 Jan 2d Lt & Mrs Robert E Plain, daughter, Karen Elizabeth.
PRIBYL—West Point, NY 12 Jan Capt & Mrs George F Pribyl, son, Jeffrey Gerard.
RECTOR—Vicenza, Italy 11 Jan Sp5 & Mrs James M Rector, son, Stephen J.
REESE—Fitzsimons GH, Denver 12 Jan Capt & Mrs Herbert E Reese, daughter.
REPERT—Griffiss AFB, NY 13 Jan Lt & Mrs Lawrence M Repert, son.
ROSS—Vicenza, Italy 15 Dec S/Sgt & Mrs James R Ross, Jr, daughter, Trudy A.
RUCKS—Landstuhl, Germany 9 Jan Sgt & Mrs Floyd M Rucks, daughter, Charry A.
RUNG—Vicenza, Italy 16 Dec CWO-2 & Mrs Richard F Rung, daughter, Kathleen M.
RUSIEWICZ—Ft Meade, Md 17 Jan Capt & Mrs Lawrence Rusiewicz, daughter.
SANDISON—West Point, NY 19 Jan Capt & Mrs Richard L Sandison, daughter, Lore Anne.
SCHAAB—Fitzsimons GH, Denver 12 Jan Capt (USAF) & Mrs Eric Schaab, daughter.
SCHIEB—Langley AFB, Va 11 Jan 1st Lt & Mrs David M Scheib 43 Huffman Drive, Hampton, Va, daughter, Susan Elizabeth.
SCHICKLING—Andrews AFB, DC 2 Jan Maj & Mrs Edward A Schickling, son.
SCHWARTZ—La Chapelle, St Mesmin, France 11 Jan Sfc & Mrs James R Schwartz, son, James D.
SCRIVNER—Atlanta, Ga, 22 Dec Capt (USAF) & Mrs John H Scrivner, Jr, 111 Forest Ridge Dr, Marietta, Ga, daughter, Anne Elizabeth.
SEWARD—Patterson AH, Ft Monmouth, NJ 20 Jan 1st Lt & Mrs John M Seward, 569 Pinebrook Rd, Eatontown, NJ, son.
SIMPSON—DeWitt AH, Ft Belvoir, Va 15 Jan 1st Lt & Mrs Charls B Simpson, daughter.
SIZEMORE—Patterson AH, Ft Monmouth, NJ 20 Jan 1st Lt & Mrs Paul T Sizemore, 51 Corregidor Rd, Eatontown, NJ, son.
SMITH—Landstuhl, Germany 11 Jan S/Sgt & Mrs Ernest W Smith, son, David G.
SMITH—Cp Leroy Johnson, La 13 Jan WO & Mrs James E Smith, daughter.
SPLAWINSKI—WRAH, Washington, DC, 10 Jan 1st Lt (USAF-Ret) & Mrs Edward W Splawinski, 615 Highland Ave, NW, Washington 12, 3d son, David Michael.
STANTON—Frankfurt, Germany 27 Dec Lt (USA) & Mrs James D Stanton, son, James J, Jr, grandson of Col (USA-Ret) & Mrs Walter C Stanton, 3517 Davis St, NW, Washington, DC, and of Maj Gen (USAF-Ret) & Mrs James McCormack, Jr, Boston.
STEVENSON—La Chapelle, St Mesmin, France 13 Jan Sp4 & Mrs Robert G Stevenson, son, Robert L.
STRONG—Ft Meade, Md 16 Jan 2d Lt & Mrs Edwin T Strong, daughter.
SUAIREZ—Andrews AFB, DC 7 Jan Maj & Mrs Robert A Suarez, daughter.
SWEET—Landstuhl, Germany 9 Jan Sfc & Mrs Eugene F Sweet, daughter, Karen M.
TABOR—West Point, NY 18 Jan 1st Lt & Mrs Ronald L Tabor, daughter, Stacey Elizabeth.
THACKWRAY—Westover AFB, Mass 18 Jan Capt & Mrs Lee B Thackwray, 3 B Hay St, Westover AFB, daughter, Susan Ann, granddaughter of Maj Gen & Mrs Stanley W Jones, Arlington, Va, and of Mr & Mrs Charles W Thackwray, Canton, Mass.
THOMPSON—Bryn Mawr, Pa recently Mr & Mrs Cameron Thompson, 19 Andrews Rd, Malvern, Pa, son, John Bellingier, 2d, grandson of Mrs John B Thompson, 4438 Q St, NW, Washington 7, DC, and the late Brig Gen Thompson, and of Mrs Henry Fouch, Nashville, Tenn, and great-grandson of the late Maj Gen & Mrs George H Cameron.
THOMPSON—Landstuhl, Germany 5 Jan M/Sgt and Mrs Marshall M Thompson, daughter, Colleen S.
TOMEY—Andrews AFB, DC 15 Jan Maj & Mrs William H Tomey, son.
TIMPANO—DeWitt AH, Ft Belvoir, Va 19 Jan Capt (USA-Ret) & Mrs Angelo J Timpano, daughter.

TONEY—Ft Riley, Kans 15 Jan 2d Lt & Mrs Billy H Toney, daughter, Caryle De Anne.
TROTTER—Landstuhl, Germany 12 Jan Capt & Mrs Donald W Trotter, daughter, Sandra J.
URSIN—Landstuhl, Germany 5 Jan Sp5 & Mrs Michael J Ursin, daughter, Virginia M.
UTEGAARD—DeWitt AH, Ft Belvoir, Va 16 Jan LCdr & Mrs Thomas F Utegaard, daughter.
VENTIMIGLIA—Landstuhl, Germany 7 Jan S/Sgt & Mrs Andrew F Ventimiglia, son, Michael P.
WAGNER—Lackland AFB, Tex 16 Jan Capt & Mrs Robert E Wagner first child, daughter, Kelly Ann, granddaughter of Col. (USA-Ret) & Mrs Kelly L Brazier, San Antonio & of Mrs Bertha Dahlberg, Hollandale, Minn.
WALKER—Landstuhl, Germany 5 Jan Sgt & Mrs Kenneth M Walker, son, Richard K.
WALTER—New Brunswick, NJ 8 Jan Capt & Mrs Lyle E Walter, son, William Richard.
WARD—Ft Meade, Md 14 Jan 1st Lt & Mrs James K Ward, daughter.
WARREN—Cp Zama, Japan 18 Jan Sp5 & Mrs Albert H Warren, son, Stanley Richard.
WHITAKER—Landstuhl, Germany 5 Jan M/Sgt & Mrs Way L Whitaker, son, Richard J.
WIDNER—Landstuhl, Germany 12 Jan T/Sgt & Mrs Raymond E Widner, son, Raymond E.
WIESELMANN—Ft Ord, Calif 11 Jan 2d Lt & Mrs Egon A Wiesemann, 559 Larkin St, Monterey, son, Mark Alan.
WILKINS—La Chapelle, St Mesmin, France 12 Jan Sp5 & Mrs John W Wilkins, son, Jacques D.
WILLIAMS—Ft Riley, Kans 16 Jan 2d Lt & Mrs Harvey R Williams, daughter, Cindy Dawn.
WISENER—La Chapelle, St Mesmin, France 15 Jan Sp5 & Mrs James C Wisener, son, John M.
ZEMALKOWSKI—Patterson AH, Ft Monmouth, NJ 24 Jan 2d Lt & Mrs John A Zemalkowski, 105 Corregidor Rd, Eatontown, NJ, daughter.

Married

FRANCES-FLOOD—Bala-Cynwyd, Pa 23 Jan Miss Rosemary Cecilia Flood, daughter of Judge & Mrs Gerald F Flood of Philadelphia, and Ens George David Frances, Jr, USN, son of Mr & Mrs Frances, Wynnewood, Pa.
TABOR-STOKES—Baptist Church, Kenansville, NC recently Miss Oliver Dianne Stokes, daughter of Mr and Mrs James Oliver Stokes, Kenansville, and Ens Christopher Alan Tabor, USNR, son of the Reverend Dr & Mrs Louis Ralph Tabor, Baltimore, Md.

Died

BARBARO—Died USNH, Bethesda, Md 19 Jan Mrs Lucile Herold Barbaro, 55, wife of RADM Joseph H Barbaro, USN-Ret, 1707 Surrey Lane, NW, Washington, DC, after a long and courageous battle against cancer. Also survived by one son, Joseph H Barbaro of the home address; her mother, Mrs E E Herold, Relay, Md; two sisters, Mrs Mae Gilpin, Baltimore, & Mrs Walter C Hopkins, Catonsville, Md; and two brothers, Edward E & John A Herold, Baltimore. Burial Arlington National Cemetery.
BEST—Died 18 Jan LCdr Marlon C Best, USNR.
BRAITHWAITE—Killed in the crash of a Capitol Airlines plane near Holdcroft, Va 18 Jan Cdr John T Braithwaite, USN, 43, commander of a helicopter squadron at Key West, Fla. Survived by his widow, Mrs Marjorie Braithwaite.
CARBOLL—Died 18 Jan Capt Robert M Carroll, USN.
ESCUDE—Died Walter Reed GH, Washington, DC 25 Jan Col Joseph F Escude, USA, 50. Survived by his widow, Mrs Florence M Escude, 64 John St, Englewood Cliffs, NJ; his father, Mr Joseph F, Jersey City, and one sister & one brother. Burial Madonna Cemetery, Ft Lee, NJ.
FAWCETT—Died Tacoma, Wash 21 Jan Mrs Margaret Julia Fawcett, 82, widow of Mr A V Fawcett, prominent political figure in Washington State, and mother of Mrs Wyburn D Brown, wife of Brig General Brown, USA-Ret, 3320 Dent Pl, NW, Washington DC, with whom she made her home for many years. Also survived by five sons, one of whom is Cdr Walter O Fawcett, USN, of Philadelphia, and among her grandchildren, by Mrs Margaret (Peggy) Brown Guest, wife of Lt Col James W Guest, USA, Ft Bragg, NC. Burial Tacoma, Wash.
GORANSON—Killed in the crash of a Capitol Airlines plane near Holdcroft, Va 18 Jan Capt Harold T Goranson, USN, 43, commander of a destroyer division at Norfolk, Va.
GRAFF—Died USNH, Philadelphia, Pa 18 Dec Capt John Packard Graff, USN-Ret. (USNA '19), 63. Survived by his widow, Mrs Sally Graff, 45 W Albemarle Ave, Landdowne, Pa.

Army Slates 16 Field Tests During 1960

From first page—
the sands of the California desert to the jungles of Panama.

Virtually every Army post in the United States will provide troops, skilled technicians, and combat equipment for these field tests of men and machines.

The first exercise of the year, Little Bear, a 12-day winter training maneuver, will be held in Alaska 10 February-21 February. Approximately 1,800 troops from the Fourth Infantry Division, Ft. Lewis, Wash., and 2,000 "Aggressor" troops from U. S. Army, Alaska, will participate.

Banyan Tree II, a seven-day jungle training exercise, will be held in Panama 7-13 March.

Puerto Pine, a combined Army-Air Force joint mobility exercise, will test the mobility of STRAC units 14-31 March. The exercise calls for air movement of more than 18,000 troops from their home bases to a staging area in Puerto Rico and return to the United States. Participating troops include elements of the 82d and 101st Airborne Divisions, 4th Infantry Division, 2d Infantry Brigade, XVIII Airborne Corps Artillery and the 1st Logistical Command, and many other units.

Quick Strike, a 101st Airborne Division exercise, will be held from 18 April to 3 May at Fort Bragg, N. C. Some 16,000 troops will take part.

Iroquois Hatchet is a 15-day exercise to be held at Camp Drum, N. Y., in April. Approximately 5,000 troops representing the 2d Infantry Brigade and appropriate support elements will participate.

Mesquite Dune, a seven-day desert training exercise with approximately 1,500 soldiers from the 1st Infantry Division, 2d Reconnaissance Squadron, 4th Cavalry, and the 1st Tank Battalion, 34th Armor, participating is scheduled for April at Camp Irwin, Calif.

Elk Horn is a 4th Infantry Division exercise to be held at Yakima, Wash., 7-21 May. This STRAC exercise will involve more than 16,000 soldiers from the Fourth Infantry Division and selected support units.

Big Thrust, a ten-day armor exercise involving 8,000 Tankers of Combat Command A, First Armored Division, elements of the 2d Armored Division, and selected support units will be held at Ft.

Hood, Texas, during May.

Towers Moon, a 15-day exercise, will be held during the spring with Headquarters, XVIII Airborne Corps, and elements of the 82d and 101st Airborne Divisions participating at Ft. Bragg, N. C., and Ft. Campbell, Ky., their respective home posts.

Cimarron Drive, a 10-day exercise with 3,000 troops from Combat Command A, 1st Armored Division, participating will take place at Ft. Hood. This exercise is scheduled this spring.

Junction Spring is a 10-day exercise involving 3,000 soldiers from the Second Missile Command. It is scheduled to be held in the spring at Ft. Carson, Colo.

Columbia Cliff, a 10-day exercise at Ft. Bragg, will involve some 3,000 missile men from the Third Missile Command.

Bright Star, a STRAC exercise, will take place at Ft. Bragg during a 15-day period in August-September. Participating will be 30,000 troops from the XVIII Airborne Corps, 82d Airborne and 101st Airborne Divisions and selected support units.

South Wind is a 15-day Command Post and Field Training Exercise (CPX) involving Headquarters, XVIII Corps, 82d and 101st Airborne Divisions, 4th Infantry Division, 3d Armored Cavalry Regiment, 1st Logistical Command, and selected support units. It is scheduled to be held in the Ft. Bragg area during October-November with some 16,000 troops participating.

STRAC Mobility Exercise, a 10-day exercise designed to test the redeployment capability of STRAC units, will take place during October in the Third and Sixth U. S. Army areas.

Logex 1960, a six-day Logistical Command Post Exercise (CPX) is scheduled to be held at Ft. Lee, Va., during May. Some 6,000 personnel, including students from Technical and Administrative Service Schools and Selected Reserve Officers (recalled to active duty), and representatives of selected support units will participate in a problem simulating the logistical support of a field Army in combat.

The Army said the list of exercises is subject to change and final dates for many of the exercises have not been determined.

Always Coffee Time For Navy Men



ADMIRAL Jerauld Wright, SACLANC and Atlantic Fleet Commander, relaxes for a moment with newly promoted VADM. Edmund B. Taylor, left during ceremonies at Newport, R. I., where RADM. Charles E. Weakley succeeded Admiral Taylor as Atlantic Fleet Destroyer Force Commander. Admiral Taylor becomes Commander Atlantic Fleet Antisubmarine Defense Forces on 30 January at Norfolk, Va., and will hold also NATO commands as head of North American Antisubmarine Defense Force, Atlantic, and Ocean Sub-area.



NAVY First Class Diver Thomas Collins, left of Explosive Ordnance Disposal Unit No. 2 at Charleston, S. C., and R. Stanley Thompson of the Development and Proof Services Artillery Division at the Army's Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md., take a coffee break after completing an underwater dive during recovery tests of ammunition components.

ATA Reports Increase In Military Traffic Will Augment Liaison With Services

To meet the increasing needs of military traffic, both passenger and cargo, the Military Bureau of the Air Traffic Conference, a division of the Air Transport Association of America, has augmented its Washington staff to provide closer liaison with the command levels of the military agencies.

Robert B. Minogue, Bureau Director, announced appointment of Philip Archer as Special Representative in the Bureau's Washington office. Mr. Archer is Vice President of the National Defense Transportation Association.

"His duties," Mr. Minogue said, "will be to maintain a close liaison with the Military Traffic Management Regional Offices, Army Headquarters, Air Force Commands and Navy District Traffic Offices relative to policy and procedural matters affecting both the military and the airlines."

The Bureau is responsible for negotiating the Joint Military Air Transportation Agreement, routing groups of military moves of 15 or more by air, assisting the airlines in the administration of the 81 Joint Airline Military Traffic Offices (JAMTOS), and coordinating other industry matters with the Military Traffic Committee of the Air Traffic Conference.

Mr. Minogue also announced the appointment of Selmer J. Ronnie, a Marine Corps veteran, as Assistant Director of

the Bureau. Mr. Ronnie had been manager of the Troop Movement Section.

Peter R. Keesling, who has been Military Traffic Coordinator, succeeds Mr. Ronnie.

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HARRISON—Died Albuquerque, NMex 20 Jan Col Raymond L Harrison, USA-Ret, 63. Survived by his widow, Mrs Catherine Harrison; three daughters, Mrs Thomas Lyden, Mrs Ed Black & Mrs Don Foggi; five sons, R. L. Jr, Edward A, Robert L, Thomas L & John B Harrison; and seven grandchildren. Burial Arlington National Cemetery, Washington, DC.

HAYES—Died Trenton, NJ 17 Jan Mr Edward B Hayes, former Director, Admiralty Div of the US Navy JAG Office, considered a leading authority on Admiralty Law. Survived by his daughter, Mrs Charles J Smith, Jr, Trenton, with whom he lived; one sister, Mrs George J Mitchell, Jr, and one brother, Mr Francis X Hayes, both of Arlington, Va. Burial Arlington National Cemetery, Washington, DC.

KELLER—Died Tucson, Ariz 21 Dec Mrs Margaret Keller, 88, widow of Col Frank Keller, USA-Ret, daughter of the late Col & Mrs John Murphy, and sister of the late Brig Gen J P O'Neill, Col John B Murphy & Col Pierce A Murphy. Survived by one daughter, Mrs Robert Blanchard, wife of Colonel Blanchard, 4 Staff Post, Ft Sam Houston, Tex; one son, Mr Frank Keller, Jr, Lindsay, Calif; one sister, Miss Jane H O'Neill, Riverside, Calif; and seven grandchildren, one of whom is Lt Robert Blanchard, Jr, Ft Hood, Tex. Burial Arlington National Cemetery, Washington, DC 28 Dec.

McGRATH—Died 20 Jan Lt (jg) George F McGrath, jr, USN.

MELESKY—Died 18 Jan LCdr Joseph H Melesky, USN.

MORTON—Died Nebraska City, Nebr 15 Jan Maj Thomas Simpson Morton of lung cancer. He was a veteran of WWII with the 134th Inf Regt in the European Theater. Survived by his widow, Mrs Helen Morton; one son, Thomas S Morton, jr, 17, and one daughter, Ann, 7. Burial Nebraska City.

MOYER—Died 18 Jan Cdr Robert L Moyer, USN.

O'KEEFE—Died 15 Jan Lt (jg) James V O'Keefe, USNR.

PARKER—Died Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston 18 Jan Maj Gen Cortlandt Parker, USA-Ret, 75, Commander, 6th Field Artillery of the 1st Division in WWI & of the 5th Infantry Division in WWII. Survived by his widow, Mrs Elizabeth Gray Parker, Hotel Vendome, Boston; two sons, Mr Cortlandt Parker, jr, Bernardsville, NJ, Mr James Parker, New York; and one sister, Mrs Eleanor P Cushman, Beverly, Mass. Burial Portsmouth, RI.

PERKINS—Died USAH, Ft Ord, Calif 15 Jan Brig Gen Robert Meredith Perkins, USA-Ret (USMA '13). Survived by his widow, Mrs Miriam P Perkins, Sonoma Rd, P O Box 53, Pebble Beach, Calif; two sisters, Mrs Thom Henderson, Virginia Beach, Va, & Miss Rosa Perkins, Norfolk; and one niece, Mrs Dorothy P Rand, Carmel Calif. Burial Golden Gate Cemetery, San Bruno, Calif.

PRATT—Died Ft Lauderdale, Fla 21 Jan Col Daniel Harry Pratt, USAF-Ret. Survived by his widow, Mrs Jane S Pratt; three daughters, Mrs Patricia Simons, Mrs Priscilla Kluckhohn & Mrs Diane Rowley; and ten grandchildren. Burial Arlington National Cemetery, Washington, DC.

ROWE—Died Whipple VA Hospital, Prescott, Ariz 3 Jan M/Sgt William P Rowe, USA-Ret, 60, veteran of the Mexican Border and both World Wars. Survived by his sister, Mrs Emma Elliott, 2315 So Washington St, Lansing 10, Mich. Burial Mt Hope Cemetery, Lansing.

SKAHILL—Died 18 Jan Cdr John J Skahill, USN.

STRONG—Died Pasadena, Calif 4 Jan Mrs Martha Murdock Strong, widow of Capt Donald W Strong, USA. Survived by four nieces, Mrs Edith M Scott, 140 So Los Robles Ave, Pasadena, Miss Margaret Murdock, Florida, Mrs Harriet M Stanley & Mrs Caroline M Pratt, both of New Jersey; and two nephews, Mr Richard W Murdock, 1717 19th St, NW, Washington, DC, & Mr Bruce Murdock, New York City. Interment Oneonta, NY.

TABET—Killed near Holdcroft, Va in the crash of a Capital Airlines plane 18 Jan Col Sam Tabet, USAF, 48, Commanding Officer 80th Regt (CST), 80th Div, USAF, and veteran of WWII. He was President of the Tabet Manufacturing Co. (Electronics), Norfolk, Va. Survived by his widow, Mrs Adelaide Tabet, Virginia Beach, Va; one son, Sam Tabet, jr, 5; and two step-children. Burial Forest Lawn Cemetery, Norfolk.

THOMPSON—Died 18 Jan Capt Wendell C Thompson, USN.

THAYER—Died Del Ray, Fla 23 Jan Col Basil G Thayer, USA-Ret (USMA '20), 61, son of the late Col & Mrs Arthur Thayer, brother of Col Arthur P Thayer, USA-Ret, 2860 So Buchanan St, Arlington, Va, and collateral descendant of Col Sylvanus Thayer, founder and first Commandant of the USMA. Also survived by his widow, Mrs Katherine H Thayer, 12 Sea Spray Ave, Del Ray Beach, Fla, & of Gates Mills, O; one

sister, Miss Cora Thayer, San Antonio, Tex; and another brother, Mr Francis M Thayer, Madison, NJ. Burial West Point, NY.

WARREN—Died Mobile, Ala 16 Jan LCdr Victor B Hatch, USCG-Ret. Survived by his widow, Mrs Luella C Hatch, 32 W Chadwick Dr, Mobile.

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Col. Bare Is CofS

Col. Walter E. Bare, Jr., formerly with the Korean Military Assistance Group, is the new CofS for the 1st Infantry Division and Ft. Riley, Kans.

Graduating from Advanced Flight Training in 1947, Colonel Bare, USMA '35, qualified in 1948 as a helicopter pilot.

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Two TAC Generals Get New Duties

Maj. Gen. Cecil H. Childre, formerly Director of Operations and Training, has moved up to TAC Deputy for Operations at Langley AFB, Va. He succeeds Maj. Gen. Karl Triesdell, Jr. new Commander of TAC's Twelfth Air Force at Waco, Tex.

Maj. Gen. William W. Momyer has been elevated from his staff position as Director of Plans, Deputy for Operations, to the newly created post of Deputy for Plans at TAC Headquarters.

Prior to his assignment to TAC headquarters in 1956, General Childre commanded the 463rd Troop Carrier Wing at Ardmore AFB, Okla.

Previous to his assignment to Langley in July 1958, General Momyer was commander of the 832d Aid Division at Cannon AFB, N. M.

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AF Quits Amphib Flight Training

The Air Force is leaving the water to the Navy as a result of a decision to phase out the SA-16 Albatross and abandon amphibious operations.

The Air Force will close amphibious 1707th Flying Training Squadron at Brookley AFB, Ala., which operates the only school in the world designed to train pilots to operate from both land and water. Also to be phased out of the active Air Force inventory is the Grumman SA-16 Albatross amphibian.

The 1707th, under Maj. George Pinyerd, is a unit of the 1707th Air Transport Wing, Heavy (Tng) at Tinker AFB, Okla.

The Albatross was used primarily for air-sea rescue operations.

Retired Notes

RAAdm. Henry Sipple, USN-Ret., of Milford, Dela., presided over the Tri-State Monument Builders' Annual Convention in Washington, D. C. this week. Admiral Sipple is President of the Maryland-Delaware-District of Columbia Monument Builders.

Col. Robert F. Sladek, USAF-Ret., former Commander, 1823rd AACG Group (E and D) and Det. 1, Ground Electronics Engineering and Installation Agency (GEEIA), Andrews AFB, Md., has joined Page Communications Engineers, Inc., Washington, as Assistant Director of Engineering for Administration.

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Admiral Roland who will be 55 on 11 February is Commander, First Coast Guard District in Boston. He was graduated from the Coast Guard Academy in 1929, where he was an instructor in physics and mathematics and assistant football, basketball, and baseball coach from 1934-1938.

Admiral Roland and his wife, the former Jane Dare Fitch of New London, Conn., are the parents of three children, Janet, William and Edwin, jr.

Assignment Changes

Rear Admiral

Evans, Stephen H, CGD14 (Dist Cdr) to Academy (Supt).
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Hansen, Sidney F, MIO, Phila, to SPENCER (EO).
Pearce, Allen C, CGAD, San Juan (Difot) to HQ (OAV-Difot).

Lieutenant

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Emory, Nelson G, SPENCER (EO) to MIO, New York.
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Moats, Louis, INGHAM (EO) to MIO, Norfolk.
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Assistant SecDef Berry Counters Proposals For Medical Services Unification

ASSISTANT Secretary of Defense (Health and Medical) Dr. Frank B. Berry has issued a strong pronouncement against plans to unify the Medical Services of the Armed Forces or to create a Single Manager system for military hospitals.

His statement apparently was aimed to counter recurring proposals being made in some quarters outside the Services for unification of the Army, Navy, and Air Force Medical Services into a Single Armed Forces Medical Service, as is the case in Canada.

Here is what Dr. Berry said to the North Carolina Medical Society in Charlotte on 26 January:

"... There are advocates of a single manager for a hospital system. What hospital system? How and of what size? The military have hospitals from 35 beds to over 2,000 beds. Where do we draw the line? Will this make easier the transfer of personnel? Does it mean that simply because it is a so-called bigger and better system that it really will be better, or will it be more clumsy with retarded function? Inasmuch as there is already a medical materiel supply agency and all food and clothing come from the Quartermaster, what is left for the single manager of a hospital system?

"What has happened to big business itself? Has it not decentralized for better function and speedier service? I need cite only the big three in the automotive industry and our many large chemical and pharmaceutical groups.

"And now we come to the \$64 question. Why not unify the medical services? The Hoover Commission in 1948 recommended a single Federal Medical Service for hospitals but reversed its stand in 1955. There are those who propose this and their arguments have become more vocal since the medical services in Canada were unified a year ago.

"In England this has been a perennial question since World War I, with Committees of Inquiry established in the 1920s, one in 1946, another in 1956, and a Select Committee of the Parliament to inquire into this issue in 1959. Where, however, is there any just comparison? Canada has only a few hundred medical officers in its three services. We have approximately 10,000 and somewhat over 5,000 dental officers. The United Kingdom stands in between.

"To form a unified medical service

without unification of the entire military is comparable to a partial exenteration of the corpus in Medicine. This plan would create a fourth service of supply but the supply in this case would be humans. At best it would provide for another headquarters or another very much expanded medical secretariat within the Department of Defense.

"Ever since WWII there has been increasing cross-servicing and joint participation in and use of facilities by the three Services. During actual wartime, the Services work closely together. The Navy and Air Force personnel are commonly seen in Army hospitals and vice versa. The Air Force collaborates with both in evacuation of patients, delivery of blood and in the care of patients of all three Services.

"Quite naturally the members of each service take pride in their service and rightly consider themselves a part of it. To combine them into one large not so happy family would destroy this esprit and in turn the line elements would soon enough feel the lack of their own integral medical services.

"At the present time we not only have increasing cooperation among the medical services of the three departments but we in Medicine during the past four years have also crossed lines for increased cooperation with other departments of Government. . . .

"In research we have a very close liaison with the Office of the Director of Research and Engineering, which controls all of the research programs. Here all the Services meet and discuss their various research and development programs and then in addition they can appeal to the Director for added emergency funds and funds for research programs common to all three Services. . . .

"The mere fact that changes occur does not mean that we are making progress because the definition of the two words "change" and "progress" are entirely different. Progress always results in change but the converse is far from true and many of us believe that changes into bigger and bigger organizations, such as a too wide extension of single manager concepts or unification of medical services without unification of their parent services will not result in progress at all but will be mere manifestations of change which in turn will change again as the years go by. . . ."

Capping Ceremonies Held At Carlisle



MRS. Albert Newton (second from left) presented service bars to four new Gray Ladies during graduation ceremonies last week at Carlisle Barracks, Pa. Left to right are: Mrs. Hugh F. Queenin, Mrs. Newton, Mrs. Leroy C.

Land, Mrs. William J. Parsons and Mrs. Donald H. McGovern. The class was capped and received certificates upon completing a 30-hour course of instruction at the Carlisle Barracks Hospital.

Ft. Sam Girl Scouts Aid Hospital Staff

Brooke General Hospital patients and nurses at Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., will have 10 new qualified assistants.

They are Girl Scouts who completed nurse's aide course. The 10 are Diana Beach, Ann Bearr, Mary Lynn Fargo, Libby Hyman, Frieda Little, Karen Rawlins, Becky Rice, Patsy Rice, Joan Tyrrell and Donna Wilson.

Three Navy Chaplains Retire

Three Navy Medical Corps Captains have retired in January.

Capt. Ralph K. Hoch, has been a permanent member of the Physical Evaluation Board, Potomac River Naval Command; Capt. Hugh V. O'Connell, was assigned last at the Naval Hospital, Oakland, Calif; and Capt. Edward H. Taylor was at the Naval Air Station, North Island, San Diego.

Six Win Eagles, One Is Nurse

The Army has promoted six lieutenant colonels to temporary colonel in Special Orders No. 16, effective 25 January. The are: Oliver M. Hirsch, ORDC, John

G. Hoffman, CMLC, Edward VanR. Needles, CMLC, George D. Pace, QMC, Charles A. Rowan, AGC, and Edythe Turner, ANC.

INDUSTRY IN DEFENSE

Services Will Spend Almost Half Billion For Space Programs, Dr. York Reports

THE Defense Department will spend \$481 million on space programs during fiscal '61.

Dr. Herbert F. York, Defense Research and Engineering Chief, told the House Space Committee 26 January this is the "DoD-wide" program of separately identified space related programs. It does not include SATURN or other programs transferred to NASA.

The funding is \$100 million above the fiscal '59 budget and \$67 million above fiscal '60 programs.

When present transfers are completed from the Advanced Research Projects Agency, Doctor York said, ARPA will have responsibility for six programs with a new obligational authority of \$215 million.

These programs are:

Defender—A research, experimentation, development and system feasibility demonstration undertaking to obtain technologically advanced defense against extra-atmospheric offense vehicles, including ballistic missiles and space vehicles. The project consists of more than 50 programs.

Principia—A research program to develop more optimum performance for solid propellants for missiles and space boosters.

Pontus—Concerned with basic research in materials, including fundamental

theoretical and experimental work aimed at realizing a major advancement in structural and power conversion materials.

Longsight—A series of studies and systems analyses in the military sciences field to obtain on a continuing basis recommendations as to projects which should be initiated to satisfy the future military needs of the various Services.

Shepherd—Development of a satellite detection and tracking system which will include a National Space Surveillance Control Center, and **Vela**—Development of adequate means for the worldwide policing or surveillance of a moratorium on atomic weapons testing.

Missile Master Set For 9 Army Sites

The Army has reported that the air defense of the United States will be greatly improved with the activation of nine additional Missile Master sites this year.

Key areas to be protected by the electronic air defense coordinating system are Seattle, New York, Boston-Providence, Buffalo-Niagara, Chicago, Los Angeles, Pittsburgh, Detroit and Philadelphia.

One system is already operational at Ft. Meade, Md., protecting the Washington-Baltimore area.

Developed by the Army Signal Corps with the Martin Company, Orlando, Fla., Missile Master collects and analyzes data on both friendly and enemy aircraft, distributes this information to battery commanders and coordinates the fire of large Nike defenses.

B-52 Spare-Parts Build-Up Underway For Possible Air Alert; Cost Is Problem

THE Air Force is building up a cache of spare parts for use in maintaining any future airborne alert.

Funds for an air alert are contained in the fiscal '61 budget, but the alert will not go into effect unless ordered by the President.

Details of the spare-parts build-up were outlined to the Senate Armed Services Committee 26 January by Secretary of the Air Force Dudley C. Sharp.

He said the Air Force is "procuring and will place aside on reserve the aircraft spare parts that would be needed if a portion of the B-52 force were actually placed on an airborne alert during a period of tension."

Air Force Chief of Staff, General Thomas D. White, also testifying before the Committee, said the "on the shelf" build-up will be paid for out of funds which have been reprogrammed from the current budget, as well as additional new money requested in the fiscal '61 budget.

He said "these funds, plus stocks on hand will give us the means to support an airborne alert operation—if it should be directed."

The spare parts stockpile and "similar changes" will involve "costs of considerable magnitude," Secretary Sharp stated.

The Secretary said there is only one way to offset the increase "without a large increase in defense spending" and that is to "reduce the force in size but maintain its quality and capability."

The possible shut-down of some Air Force installations was mentioned by Secretary Sharp.

He said "As the nature of our forces changes with a growing capability in missiles and space applications, reorientation and closing of operating bases and facilities must follow." He added that he is "confident" the Congress "will support us where such changes are indicated and justified."

Air Force Chooses Aerojet General For Minuteman Second Stage Propulsion

AEROJET General Corporation of Azusa and Sacramento, Calif., has been chosen by the Air Force to produce the second stage propulsion unit of the Minuteman ICBM, "subject to successful tests of their hardware."

A Pentagon announcement said that "in view of the extreme importance of the Minuteman program, the Air Force is retaining the Thiokol Chemical Corporation of Bristol, Pa., for technical backup for this unit."

Assembly and test contractor for the Minuteman project is the Boeing Airplane Company, with AVCO Manufacturing Corporation responsible for the nose

cone. Thiokol will produce the first stage propulsion. Aerojet and Hercules Powder Company are responsible for the third stage propulsion.

Development of railroad cars for the mobile version will be the responsibility of American Machine and Foundry and ACF Industries.

Space Technology Laboratories at Inglewood, Calif., has responsibility for system engineering and technical direction under executive management of ARDC's Ballistic Missile Division at Inglewood (see THE JOURNAL 23 January for a special report by BMD's Commander, Maj. Gen. O. J. Ritland).

Thunderchief Scores Missile "Kill"

A heat-seeking Sidewinder missile launched from Tactical Air Command's supersonic Republic F-105 Thunderchief has destroyed a pilotless QF-80 jet drone, marking the first "kill" for the Mach 2 tactical fighter.

Newly released reports describing the action said that "the jet drone took off from Florida's Eglin AFB. The F-105, followed by a North American F-100 Super Sabre photo chase plane, "scrambled" to make the intercept, piloted by Capt. Ellsworth Tulberg of the 335th Tactical Fighter Squadron, Seymour Johnson AFB, N. C. As he closed in the drone went into a 30-degree left bank. Captain Tulberg hit it with the homing missile on his first shot. In a ball of fire the drone went into a left diving turn in the Gulf."

The Air Force said Captain Tulberg's mission was part of the 335th's Category 2 air superiority tests. The 335th TAC squadron was the first to be equipped with the F-105. The 334th is also fully equipped and a third unit, the 336th squadron, is partially so equipped. The F-105, which has both nuclear and non-nuclear bomb-carrying capability, recently set a new USAF speed record of 1,216 mph for the 100 kilometer closed course speed run.

The new military budget calls for a 50% increase in Thunderchief procurement.

NRL Veteran Named To Honeywell Post

Dr. Jay Tol Thomas has been appointed Director of Engineering for the Boston Division of Minneapolis-Honeywell Regulator Company. He was formerly Manager of the Systems Laboratory of Sylvania Electric Products Division of General Telephone and Electronics Corporation.

During WWII Dr. Thomas worked with the Naval Research Laboratory, Washington, D. C., on various radar developments and prior to that was on the faculty of the Evening Division of the Graduate School of Engineering, Northeastern University.

He is chairman of the Senior Scientific Board of the Army's Anti-missile Research Council and is a member of the American Physical Society, Institute of Radio Engineers and American Rocket Society.

"Strength And Confidence" Vital To Counter Communist Goals, Former Assistant SecDef McNeil Tells NSIA Forrestal Dinner

WARNING that "it is much too easy for a totalitarian government to mask its actions and unleash a sudden attack, which in this day and age could virtually annihilate an unwary victim," former Assistant Secretary of Defense W. J. McNeil declared this week:

"Short of a verifiable and enforceable arms control agreement, the United States could not with safety embark on a major disarmament program so long as the government of the Soviet Union is in the hands of a dictatorship."

Speaking at the annual Forrestal Memorial Award Dinner of the National Security Industrial Association in Washington, D. C., on 28 January, Mr. McNeil, now President of Grace Lines, Inc., who was selected by the NSIA for its annual Forrestal Award, said:

"We are opposed by a tough adversary—skilled in all the arts of propaganda and subterfuge—and we dare not be complacent. In the trying days which lie ahead, negotiating from a position of strength will not be enough."

At the NSIA Dinner, the Forrestal Memorial Award was presented to Mr. McNeil and to Mrs. Donald A. Quarles, who accepted the honor for her late husband, the former Secretary of the Air Force and Deputy Secretary of Defense.



Mr. McNeil

Mr. McNeil, who served as Defense Department Comptroller from the start of Unification in 1947 until late 1959, told the audience of hundreds of industrial leaders and top Service officials:

"We must also negotiate from a position of confidence—confidence in our military strength; in our way of life; and in the righteousness of our cause."

Mr. McNeil, referring to Premier Khrushchev's announcement of plans to cut Soviet military manpower, said that "even if we give full credence to his declared intention, our danger is not likely to be any less and could possibly be more."

"What Khrushchev proposes," said Mr. McNeil, "is simply a Soviet version of the 'New Look'—the defense policy adopted by the United States more than six years ago."

He said that "the increasingly dangerous military situation in which the world finds itself arises—not from mere numerical strengths—but rather from the explosive progress in science and technology which is producing weapons of ever increasing speed and destructive power."

"But the Soviet Union, as well as the United States, faces the same awful threat," Mr. McNeil continued. "They have every reason to be just as anxious as we are—and more so. Ironically, of all the people in the world, they and we are in the most danger."

"In this we have a community of interest and for this reason, the people of the Soviet Union and the people of the United States have the greatest stake in the achievement of a solution to this fearful dilemma."

Emphasizing the importance of achieving with the Soviet Government "a safeguarded and enforceable arms reduction, or equally important, a system of inspection which would minimize the chances of any aggressor launching a surprise attack," Mr. McNeil told the NSIA audience:

"Until such time as a secure road to peace is found, we need, more than ever, a steady, stable level of effort which can be sustained through what may be years of trial and tension."

"In maintaining such a level of effort, this great and responsible industrial organization can make a real contribution. First, by promoting a better understanding of the changing character of our military forces; and second, by helping to bring home to the American people a better understanding of the tremendous strength of this Nation."

Mr. McNeil stressed in his address the need to reject "unduly negative" thinking about the Soviet Union. "Too often," he said, "our attitude is dominated by the things we do not want them to do. We suffer from what might be called a 'containment psychology'—not in the geographic sense of the word, but rather in the sense of trying to contain Russian growth and progress—whether it be in industry, science, education or foreign trade."

Mr. McNeil said that "attempting to isolate the Soviet Union from contact with the rest of the world might well increase our danger rather than lessen it."

"A fundamental change in the character of the Soviet Government would no doubt offer the best hope of alleviating the basic threat to our national security. No matter how remote this possibility may seem at times, we should do all that we can to develop an atmosphere in which there can evolve a Russian government more truly responsive to the will of the people."

"Agreements with dictators," said Mr. McNeil, "no matter how well meant they may be, are always subject to sudden renunciation. Moreover, the dictator of today may be gone tomorrow and with him the support for any agreements or understandings which may have been reached."

Senator Seeks Air Alert, Army Increase, More Polaris Submarines, R&D Expansion

SENATOR Henry M. Jackson (D-Wash.) has disclosed that he will seek to boost the fiscal '61 defense budget.

He said additional funds are needed in four major areas to:

- Reduce the vulnerability of our forces in being.
- Establish a truly invulnerable system of retaliatory power.
- Restore the Army to 15 full divisions and accelerate modernization, and
- Assure a vigorous R&D effort on critical new weapons and space projects.

To emphasize the nation's deterrent posture, Senator Jackson said additional funds are needed to obtain (1) a better early warning of missile attack, (2) further dispersal of SAC, and (3) an around-the-clock airborne alert.

He said a continuous airborne alert of a substantial number of heavy bombers "will cost not less than \$1 billion for the first year of operation."

To boost retaliatory power, funds should be added to accelerate both the solid-propellant Minuteman missile and

the Polaris submarine system, he said.

In an address 28 January before the National Security Commission of the American Legion, he said he will recommend the addition of seven Polaris submarines to the three proposed by the Administration in the fiscal '61 budget.

The need to restore the Army to at least 15 divisions and accelerate Army modernization is accentuated by the fact that the Soviets will "still have three times as many soldiers as we have," Senator Jackson said, even if the Russians cut their ground forces as they have announced.

Research and development funds proposed in the fiscal '61 budget are "not enough," he declared. He told the American Legion group, "Unless more money is provided there is danger that new requirements will not be met, or that they will be satisfied only at the expense of important existing projects."

Senator Jackson said he has maintained for years that "our defense program has not been big enough, bold enough or soon enough." He said, "We should be moving faster, and on a broader front."

TAC DATATRON HELP

The Tactical Air Command at Langley AFB, Va., is using a Burroughs Datatron 220 electronic computer to process information on approximately 40,000 officers and airmen.

The project will make it possible to obtain any information desired on any individual, groups, or specialists in a matter of seconds.

Link Gets AF-Navy Simulator Awards

Link Division of General Precision, Inc. has received a \$5.2 million Air Force and a \$1.4 million Navy contract for flight simulators and modification kits for flight simulators.

The Air Force order is for modification kits for Convair F-102 simulators Link produced in 1956-1958. The Navy contract is for two trailerized Chance Vought F8U-2N flight simulators.

Link previously had delivered four F8U-1 simulators to the Navy, and subsequently modified these to conform to the flight characteristics and increased performance of the later-version F8U-2.

Both the kits and simulators will be produced in Binghamton, N. Y. Delivery of each order will begin early in 1961.

L/G Lynn Heads ITT Systems

Lt. Gen. Roy H. Lynn, USAF-Ret., has been appointed as President of ITT Communication Systems Inc., Paramus, N. J., it is announced by Ellery W. Stone, Vice President—U. S. Defense Group of the parent International Telephone and Telegraph Corporation.

The new ITT executive is a graduate of the University of Kansas, and includes among assignments in his military career duty with the Air Materiel Command, action in the China-Burma-India theater at the height of WW II, and service as Commander of the Air Defense Command, General Lynn's more recent Air Force posts include command of the Japan Air Defense Force, command of the Western Air Defense Force, and duty as Vice Commander of the Air Defense Command, at Colorado Springs, prior to his retirement last year.

ITT Communication Systems is responsible for the execution of the AIRCOM 480-L program, a long-range project of expansion, development and modernization of the worldwide Air Force communication complex.

Navy Drops Job Title At Yards

The Navy is dropping the job title NavInsOrd (Naval Inspector of Ordnance), which has been a subsidiary job function of Supervisors of Shipyards.

The action follows shift of BuOrd functions to the Bureau of Naval Weapons.

Four-stripe officers currently holding the dual titles, in the future will be called Supervisor of Naval Shipyard. They will retain, however, the responsibility for inspecting ordnance installed upon new ships and conversions.

M/G Dau Directs AMC Spares Study

Maj. Gen. Frederick J. Dau, USAF-Ret., has been named Chairman of the Air Force Spares Study Group at Air Materiel Command Headquarters, Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio.

He succeeds Mr. H. O. King, a New York City industrialist, who had been Chairman of the group since its inception in 1952.

Appointment of General Dau was made by Assistant Secretary of the Air Force (Materiel) Philip B. Taylor.

This is a consultant-type position, and General Dau, USMA '28, will continue his executive activities with the Champion Paper and Fibre Company at Hamilton, Ohio. He was Vice-Chairman of the Spares Study Group from August 1953 to June 1959 while serving as AMC's Director of Supply.

General Dau retired last June 30, when he was presented the Distinguished Service Medal. Since then, Maj. Gen. Frank A. Bogart, AMC's Director of Supply, has been Vice-Chairman of the group.

The Spares Study Group was established to study the provisioning, procuring, supply and other related functions of the Air Force spares program. It is a management consultant-type group advising the Air Force on logistic matters involving large expenditures for spares and support equipment. Its members are drawn from key Air Force activities and other sources in industry and universities.

Capt. Northwood Reports Navy Electronics Awards

Capt. R. H. Northwood, SC, USN, Commanding Officer of the U. S. Naval Electronics Supply Office, Great Lakes, Ill., has announced contracts totalling \$1,035,965.48 to seven firms.

Receiving contracts for electronic material were: Radio Corporation of America, Electron Tube Division, 415 South 5th Street, Harrison, N. J., \$445,900 for electron tubes; Raytheon Company, Microwave and Power Tube Division, Foundry Avenue, Waltham 54, Mass., \$220,314 for electron tubes; Tung-Sol Electric, Inc., 1 Summer Avenue, Newark, N. J., \$160,973.48 for electron tubes; P. R. Mallory and Company, Inc. 60 Elm Street, North Tarrytown, N. Y., \$75,450 for dry batteries; Times Wire and Cable Company, Inc., 358 Hall Avenue, Wallingford, Conn., two contracts totalling \$60,334 for cable; General Cable Corp., 5447 North Wolcott Avenue, Chicago, Ill., \$46,381 for cable; and Sperry Gyroscope Company, Great Neck, N. Y., \$26,613 for gyro assemblies.

The Electronics Supply Office is the procurement agency and inventory manager for approximately 180,000 electronic repair parts used by the U. S. Navy.

NEW SETAF JAG

Col. Lewis F. Shull is the new Staff Judge Advocate of Southern European Task Force (SETAF) at Verona, Italy, succeeding Col. Howard S. Levie, assigned to SHAPE.

Colonel Shull had been Staff Judge Advocate for Headquarters, USARADCOM at Colorado Springs.

Colonel Shull and his wife Helen are residing in Verona with their three children Caroline 13, John 11, and Thomas, 8.

Capt. Camera Of Navy Joins Piasecki Aircraft

Capt. Robert S. Camera, USN-Ret, has joined Piasecki Aircraft Corporation, Philadelphia, as Executive Engineer.

He is an authority on anti-submarine warfare and the application of rotary wing aircraft to this phase of military operations.

Capt. Camera, USNA, '33, in 1950 was assigned the job of coordinating application of helicopters and dipping sonar to anti-submarine warfare as Material Requirements Officer under the Director of Air Warfare, Office DCNO (Air).

From 1955 to 1958 Captain Camera was assigned to the staff of the Naval War College, Newport, R. I., as Director, Command and Staff Course. Because of extensive overseas experience, he was one of the important advisors in the establishment and operation of a new staff course for foreign naval officers at the College.

He was married to the former Helen von der Lieth of Westwood, N. J., in 1947. They and their five children will make their home in suburban Philadelphia.

Temco Will Build More Neptune Wings

Additional contracts totaling more than \$2 million for outer wings of the P2V-7 Neptune anti-submarine patrol plane have been awarded Temco Aircraft Corporation of Dallas, by Lockheed Aircraft Corporation, Burbank, Calif.

Temco President Robert McCulloch said the new follow-on contract will continue the manufacture of wings for the Neptune into the summer of 1961. The veteran patrol plane is used by the Navy and the military services of several foreign governments. Lockheed has received additional orders for it within the past few months.

Temco has been manufacturing wings for the P2V since 1950. Seven successive models of the plane have been ordered, with the total exceeding 1,000 planes. The P2V holds the world record for nonstop, unrefueled flight, from Perth, Australia, to Columbus, Ohio—11,236 miles.

Philco Weapons Director

George V. Woodrow, jr., has been named Director of Weapons Systems Engineering for Philco Corporation's Government and Industrial Group in Philadelphia. It is announced by Henry F. Argento, Vice President and General Manager.

Mr. Woodrow was formerly associated with the Bendix Aviation Corporation where he served as Chief Engineer for Research and Development.

Ryan Appoints Space Lab Chief

Lloyd R. Everingham has been appointed Director of the Ryan Aeronautical Company's Space Laboratory, with responsibility of operating the company's newly acquired, wholly owned subsidiary, Aerolab Development Company of Pasadena, President T. Claude Ryan, has announced.

Mr. Everingham was formerly Vice President in charge of Research at Radiation, Inc., of Orlando, Fla., electronic and space systems development firm, whose projects have included the antenna system that transmitted and received President Eisenhower's Christmas 1958 message to the world broadcast from an orbiting Atlas satellite.

At Aerolab, he will administer the research and development program of a company long identified in scientific and military circles with its unique multi-stage high altitude space probes and rocket-fired free flight tests of dynamically similar models.

Prior to joining Radiation, Inc., whose research organization he founded in 1957, Mr. Everingham for many years was associated with Cornell University's Aeronautical Laboratory, as a member of the scientific staff and management. In this association, and as a consultant to the Department of Defense, he has directed numerous studies concerned with some of the major U. S. missile and warfare system concepts.

Atomic Agency Tells Top Changes

The Defense Atomic Support Agency's Field Command at Sandia Base, N. M., reports the transfer 22 February of Col. William S. Hutchinson, jr., Deputy CofS for the Weapons Effects Tests Group, to the Pentagon as CofS for Joint Task Force 7. Subsequently, he will take command upon reassignment of the present chief, Brig. Gen. G. T. Duncan.

Col. Leo A. Kiley, Assistant Deputy CofS and Technical Director of the WET Group since reporting from Kirtland AFB, N. M., where he was Chief of the Air Force Special Weapons Center's Biophysics Division, will assume Colonel Hutchinson's duties at Sandia.

The Weapons Effects Tests Group is responsible for technical direction of all Department of Defense field experiments conducted in the nuclear test series which began with Operation Upshot Knot-hole in 1953. The tests were suspended last year after the Hardtack series in the South Pacific and Nevada test sites.

Colonel Hutchinson was with the Manhattan Engineer District at Oak Ridge, Tenn., in the mid-40's, and with the Los Alamos, N. Mex., Scientific Laboratory in 1950 and 1951.

While at Los Alamos, he was on duty with a group working on problems in initiating the first man-made fusion reaction.

The Colonel's wife, Sara, is the daughter of Mrs. R. Stauffer, of Allentown, Pa. Colonel and Mrs. Hutchinson have two children, Ann Darby, 11, and William S., III, 16.

Solar Names Manager

Ralph S. White has been named General Manager of Solar Aircraft Company's Electronic Systems Development Corp. at Ventura, Calif.



Gen. Dau

"Intra-Mural" Diaper-Bandage Dispute Cited By Assistant SecDef Berry

From first page—

a dispute has broken out concerning logistics control of diapers and bandages.

He says his office is caught "between two pressures as to whether it should be a part of a supply and logistics or a part of a personnel secretariat."

Dr. Berry maintains that his office "must act in a perfectly independent fashion, however, bearing in mind at all times the multitude of pressures exerted

upon the office from both intra-mural and extra-mural groups."

In the intra-mural category, he tells of a "constant to and fro argument" between the Military Clothing and Textile Supply Agency in Philadelphia and the Military Medical Supply Agency in Brooklyn, N. Y., over which agency should manage diapers and bandages.

For the sake of uniform cataloging, Dr. Berry reports, the Textile Supply Agency

"thinks that no textiles belong in the Medical Material Supply Agency: such should all be in Clothing and Textiles because, of course, they are textiles."

"In combat," he declares, "such an allocation will break down as it will cause a tremendous waste of time and travel for the medical groups which need supplies: for in order to obtain purely medical supplies they would be forced to go to one supply depot, and to another for

any clothing and textiles.

"The latter would have little interest in medical textiles and might not even have them in stock, not realizing of course that operating gowns and operating linen equipment are unique with the medical group," Dr. Berry states.

The Pentagon medical chief notes that although diapers do not belong among combat troops, "occasionally babies are born among forces at the front or among

the occasional civilians who seek help in military hospitals when in the path of combat."

Singled out for special attention in Dr. Berry's speech before the North Carolina Medical Association in Charlotte 26 January were the major U. S. medical and paramedical associations.

Many of these "fragmenting groups" and "cartels," he declared, "resemble the old Guilds in their proprietary policies. Among the major medical groups 'constantly seeking permission to extend their influence,' Dr. Berry numbers: the American Medical Association, the American Dental Association, the American Hospital Association, the Nursing Association, and the American Osteopathic Association.

"All of these are powerful," he said, "with the controlling groups within them attempting to speak for the whole."

Dr. Berry adds, "So far the fears of the major medical associations over the years have not been justified: that the military were bent upon an extensive building and care program, another step along the way to full socialization of medicine."

"Quite the contrary, both the operating and occupied beds have decreased appreciably over the years and there has been no increase in medical or dental personnel: as a matter of fact a slight decrease incident with the decrease in forces."

"So we might say," Dr. Berry concluded, "that the three major medical organizations have stood forth like the mythological three-headed Cerberus, which guarded the entrance to Hades, constantly protecting the civilian profession against the onslaughts of the military in times of peace; and in this, I might add, they have been eminently successful."

Six Win Eagles,

One Is Nurse

The Army has promoted six lieutenant colonels to temporary colonel in Special Orders No. 16, effective 25 January.

They are: Oliver M. Hirsch, OrdC, John G. Hoffman, CmlC, Edward VanR. Needles, CmlC, George D. Pace, QMC, Charles A. Rowan, AGC, and Edythe Turner, ANC.

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